

Oakland Tribune.

WOMAN TO REVEAL SECRETS OF BRIBERY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—The prosecution is satisfied that they will have a very important witness in Miss Nellie Smith of Fruitvale, the stenographer for the law firm which acted as promoters of the Home Telephone Company in this city, which firm it is said paid liberally to the Supervisors for the purpose of inducing them to grant the Home Telephone Company a franchise after it had first refused to do so. This confidence was shown in the emphatic manner in which Detective Burns spoke on the subject this morning. With special reference to the young lady in question, he said, "I am satisfied that Miss Nellie Smith will eventually tell all she knows. She has not done so thus far, but when she realizes the condition of affairs, she will do her whole duty. She is now being badly advised. She knows something that is of great importance and something that will have serious effect when disclosed. She knows that we know what she knows, and I am in hopes before long she will tell the whole story. She will be before the Grand Jury again, probably Saturday and perhaps later."

RUEF CONVERTS PROPERTY INTO CASH

BLOCKADES OF SISTER OF MAYOR MOTT PASSENGER TRAINS

Storm Is Broken, but the Railroads Are in Very Poor Condition.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—The storm which has hung over California has been broken and conditions everywhere have greatly improved. The rivers running through the great interior valleys which flooded vast tracts of land and threatened several cities have fallen rapidly and no more damage from this source is apprehended.

Telegraph communication which for a time was interrupted in every direction has been restored. The weather bureau predicts clearing weather, though showers may continue to fall for several days.

The railroad blockade has not yet been lifted, but both the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe companies are making strenuous efforts to repair their lines, which were damaged by washouts and landslides.

Trains are being run today over both the Oregon and San Joaquin Valleys lines to the East, though they are not on regular schedule time. Traffic on the Shasta route is interrupted near Redding and regular service cannot be resumed for several days.

COAST LINE BLOCKADED.

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TO DETERMINE SANITY OF THAW

Affidavits to Be Made in Defendant's Behalf by His Attorneys.

NEW YORK, March 22.—The Thaw jury was brought before Justice Fitzgerald in the Supreme Court today and told they need not attend the trial again until next Wednesday. In the meantime Justice Fitzgerald said he would receive affidavits from the defense in answer to the suggestion of District Attorney Jerome that Harry K. Thaw, on trial for the murder of Stanford White, is at the present time in a condition of mental unsoundness which makes him incapable of advising his counsel out of understanding the proceedings against him.

Justice Fitzgerald has designated to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock as the time for the defense to present its affidavits in the Clerk's office. He stated today that the District Attorney might

VALIANTLY FIGHTS A FIRE



MISS SUE MOTT.

Schwarz Photo

Miss Sue Mott and Her Friend, Miss Jessie Meyers, Successfully Extinguish Blaze in Residence of the City's Chief Executive.

Heroism of a higher order on the part of Miss Susie Mott, sister of Mayor Mott, and her friend, Miss Jessie Meyers, this morning saved the home of the city's chief executive from being destroyed by fire.

Drapery hanging in front of the fireplace caught fire and burned briskly. Mrs. W. Lowe, who has charge of the house, was the first to discover the flames. She gave the alarm and telephoned to the fire department.

Miss Mott and her friend, however, did not wait for the arrival of the department to extinguish the flames, but transformed themselves into volunteer firemen and fought the blaze so successfully that when Chief Ball and Fire Warden McDonald arrived there was nothing to do but congratulate the young women on their self-possession and presence of mind.

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RUEF IS CLOSELY GUARDED Confession May Cause His Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—There is another side to the circumstances surrounding the close confinement in which Elsor Biggy, representing the law of California, and those active in the prosecution of the graft cases are keeping Abraham Ruef, the dethroned boss of this city.

It has just dawned upon the friends if there are any left, of the curly headed prisoner, that his close confinement is not so much for the purpose of preventing his escape as it is to protect him from harm at the hands of those whom he could send on their way to state's prison.

These same men say that Ruef has already confessed and that much of the recent inroads made on the citadel of graft defenses by the prosecutors is from the tips he has given. In other words they are positive that the defiant and innocence-claiming handler of graft has told Prosecutor Heney all he knows. It is obvious that such a confession from such a man means danger to those who have sought his services for paid legislation.

BASED ON LOGIC.

And these men do not base their opinion upon anything which is not logical or within the bounds of possibility.

First and foremost in their deductions is the recent sudden activity of Elsor Biggy in seeking stricter methods for safeguarding his prisoner. That he should have suddenly discovered Ruef is likely to escape from the custody of himself and his men is not altogether a logical deduction.

It could not have been because of the very recent developments in the graft cases for even the most uninitiated would know that the exposures which have been made were anticipated by Prosecutor Heney and Special Agent Burns.

Likewise it is not probable that all these things should have taken place or been threatened without Ruef and the

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REAL ESTATE AUCTION SALE.

of the Geary Tract. Sale Saturday, March 24, at 2 p.m. on the tract. This property is located on the Boulevard, about four blocks from the county road. Get off car at Mountain View avenue. Mrs. J. A. Munro & Co., auctioneers, will take parties to tract on day of sale. Any lot on this tract is an ideal location for a home. Must be seen to be appreciated. This is a grand chance to buy real estate. J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

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CALHOUN IS COMING TO SAN FRANCISCO



PATRICK CALHOUN

BOSS IS IN NEED OF COIN Legal Fight Is Draining His Purse.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Abe Ruef is disposing of his real estate in the markets here. This news was another surprise among the many spent in the last few days.

A prominent real estate man of this city has just sold a block of land belonging to Ruef and this afternoon was permitted to visit with Ruef for a brief time, during which time the two discussed matters concerning the details of other sales.

No one knows the exact wealth of the early boss. Even his closest friends are ignorant in property matters. Ever since he has been active in political and municipal affairs Ruef has invested his money in real estate. These holdings are scattered all over the city and many of the sites are valuable.

The conjecture over this newest rumor is that Ruef is trying to lighten his responsibility in property matters and gathering his funds in cash, which will be the best balsam to him in his struggle he is an to undergo.

There are two reasons assigned for the present move.

REALIZES DANGER.

One is that he realizes his danger of a prison sentence and is doing his affairs so that his property interests will not suffer from the fluctuations of the market.

The other reason is that Ruef is in need of funds to carry on his defense, which from the present indications are proving costly as the lawyers and others place no limit on the expenses they incur in looking after the interests of the man.

When asked concerning the sale of his real estate this afternoon Ruef declined to talk, saying it was peculiarly a question concerning his private interests in which no one else could be interested.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—One of the principal questions now being forced on the attention of the district attorney's office is what is to be done with the alleged holding supervisor.

No definite action has yet been decided upon, except that for the present no immediate steps to remove them from office will be taken.

Assistant District Attorney Henry Heroy said to me that he had nothing to do with the motion his work being confined to pursuing the prosecutions.

District Attorney Langdon, when asked about this said:

"Nothing positive can be stated at present with reference to the tenure of office of the supervisors. We are deep in an investigation now which leads to greatly more important personages than the whole board of supervisors. In due time our attention will be directed to the members of the board. In the meantime the public must trust us to do what we deem wisest and best, which, in view of all the circumstances, necessarily is known to us alone."

The grand jury will reconvene at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning to resume the investigation of the alleged te-

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MUST MARRY IN 60 DAYS OR PAY A HEAVY FINE

FORT DODGE, Ia., March 22.—Every male and female between the ages of twenty-five and forty years must enter the marriage state within sixty days or pay a fine of from \$10 to \$100, according to the provisions of a city ordinance passed here. The council's action has created a sensation.

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GRAND JURY IS PREPARING MORE INDICTMENTS

RUEF'S PROFITS IN GRAFT EATEN UP BY LEGAL FEES

Retainers Distributed Will More Than Exceed \$130,000--Automobiles Expensive and Lawyers Grasping.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Under the caption of "One Day With Ruef," the story of the curly boss's confinement in his St. Francis "cell" would have considerable saveness. The hours move along about the same, the recurrences being broken by hasty interviews with counsel and the social and business chats with members of his family. Not so much is said however about the visits of Special Agent Burns, although they are as frequent, only more surprising and at more hidden hours, the author says.

Ruef has had particular interview with newspaper correspondents, but to these there is nothing divulged excepting an occasional quip in the old time spirit of banter.

His latest subterfuge to evade direct questioning is to rely on "privileged communications," the base being that as a "client" of himself he cannot discuss "eminent counsel" advice.

SAYS BUT LITTLE.

"Has there been any offer of a compromise from counsel for the prosecution?" he was asked.

"My eminent and very learned counsel, A. Ruef, has directed me not to answer that question," was his sure response.

"What about those new indictments?"

"I do not know that any have been returned against me," he replied, "not having been informed in that matter by my aforeaid eminent and very learned counsel," he began. "I see from the newspapers that indictments have been filed in court, but until I am served with warrants on those indictments or officially informed of their existence, I cannot of course, consider that they are in existence."

LAWYERS AT ODDS.

Considerable comment is being made upon the attitude of other than the "eminent counsel" of the bosses' facious imagination—meaning his real counsel, the legal army who have up to date fought his legal battles.

Frank J. Murphy, one of those here-tofore active in the cause, is decidedly non-persona grata with the boss. It came about over an automobile bill he contracted in the cause of Ruef for eight days, which amounts to \$840. The "eminent counsel" and the "client" both joined in waxing wrathly over this matter.

Sarcastically the "client," with the acquiescence of the "eminent counsel," inquired of the outside counsel why a few hundred more was not tacked on the bill and a new machine purchased. Further, that high pressure and racing machines must have been impressed into service when perhaps a more discreet and mature machine would have accomplished the ends at a very much reduced figure. There was a decided disapprobation of good nature all around and Murphy has not been seen around the place since.

COSTLY DEFENSE.

All these things have lent color to another rumor that the legal services of the persons defending Ruef are becoming more costly as the muls of the law machine wind out more cases to defend. Ruef has persistently maintained that his defense against graft was his having acted as attorney for many of the different persons whom it is alleged he took graft and that he was under contract to look out for their interests.

This question certainly a question of his own lucid mind does not settle the rumors becoming more imminent each day that Ruef will have to spend a pretty penny before he is through to maintain his cohorts of the law to his defense.

Lawyers of standing would not accept as a retainer in criminal cases the sum of \$2000 on an indictment, besides other charges. On the basis of this Ruef must have at least accumulated a bill of \$10,000 for retain-

SAYS HENRY MADE OFFER

Puter Was Promised Immunity If He Became Witness For Government.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—In the Hermann trial for fraud and bribery in the land deals, S. A. D. Puter at the close of his examination by the Government attorneys, was asked by Attorney Worthington for the defense, if he had been promised immunity by any representative of the Government for his testimony.

"To a certain extent I have been," was his reply.

Puter explained that after his conviction in the case for which he is now serving a two years' sentence in Oregon, he had gone to United States Attorney Henry, offering to tell all he knew about land frauds. Henry told Puter that if he would tell all he knew and was a witness for the Government, other indictments against him would not be pressed, and he was a witness in the land cases in Oregon last September.

FAILED TO BRIBE.

"Did you try to bribe the Grand Jury that indicted you?" continued Worthington.

"I did," was the answer.

The witness explained that he had given a man named Brownell \$50 to influence one of the grand jurors to see that a "true bill" was not returned against him. This effort failed.

"Were you engaged in criminal operations after your conviction and prior to your sentence?" was the next question of the cross-examiner.

"Yes, to a certain extent. That is, I was dealing in a great deal of State land with altered boundaries, title."

Puter produced one letter written by Puter to Hermann, taken from the files of the office, but which related to two timber claims. This was put in evidence by Worthington, who after reading it, turned to the witness and asked:

"Was that deal crooked, too?"

The witness assented with a nod of his head, but explained that it was of a different character than the others were. It was a timber claim.

OTHER DEALINGS.

Worthington dwelt on the claim of Puter that he had while in Washington in 1902 regarding the "eleven-seven" claims, talked to Assistant Commissioner Richards. To the direct question whether Hermann had not told the witness that the matter had been turned over to Richards and that he would attend to the matter the witness had and has made a confession.

IDEAL TRYING PLACE.

Again it is pertinent that there could be no better place for making terms with those who have brought about his downfall. His friends were separated from this place and even the witnesses watched. There has been no complaint from the owners of Ruef because of the restrictions placed around their client. By this is meant the kind of complaint which a court would hear and pass upon in upholding the inalienable rights of every citizen and especially where the law safeguards so thoroughly every person by accepting his innocence until he is proven guilty.

There is but one conclusion and that is that Ruef is satisfied.

B. Ruth is not meant that he is satisfied to be in the shadow of state's prison but that he is in thorough understanding with the authorities and has made a confession.

OTHER SIDE OF QUESTION.

The extraordinary precautions not being taken to prevent Ruef from escaping are just as easily to be construed in another light. It is that Ruef is being protected against harm and that part of his price is a guarantee of this safety. Aside from that he is the star piece in the play about to be staged by Henry. Without Ruef and without his confession the ambitions of the prosecution to reach into high places would be very doubtful.

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ABE RUEF'S LIFE MAY BE DEMANDED AS A FORFEIT FOR HIS CONFESSION

SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Elisor Biggy said today: "As regards Abe Ruef trying to escape, I do not hesitate to say that there is no danger of that. I know that he is not a man who would make such an attempt. He would not have anything to do with a physical move of that kind. I know that he would not have anybody injured in that way. He knows perfectly well what our duty in the premises is. He understands it perfectly. So far as physical force is concerned I know he will not resort to it. If there is anything done it would be by strategy and in that way he would keep us constantly watching, but by strategy I do not mean physical force."

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Fate may decide that the former home of Mayor Schmitz will become the prison of Abraham Ruef. It is located at 2839 Fillmore street and has been offered to Elisor Biggy and Detective Burns as a place of detention for the political boss during his trial which is expected to extend over many months. No house has as yet been decided upon but this residence is receiving favorable consideration. It contains eleven rooms and may be occupied in whole or in part. Elisor Biggy will have a conference with Judge Dunne today or tomorrow, at which time it will be decided what will be done with Ruef, in view of the fact that the prosecution does not trust either the police or the sheriff's office.

Some of His Friends Are of the Belief That His Close Confinement Is for the Purpose of Protecting Him From Possible Harm.

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multitudinous persons interested in his position having a hint of some sort.

There would have been equally as much reason for all the safeguarding of Ruef as in the exceptional manner now being conducted before these things were sprung as there would be after they were made public.

HENEY'S MASTER HAND.

Prosecutor Heney has played a master hand at strategy all the way through the proceedings and the public and the interested ones are learning of his skill in the opposite to the trend of his disgruntled confidences.

Ruef has confessed there would be no reason for making known at this time. Nothing could be gained by revealing his secret to the grand jury.

"These," he said, "were important measures. I am sorry they did not reach the people. They were intended for the benefit of San Francisco. That was the only motive that I had in view in working for them."

Referring to his present situation, he remarked: "The public has heard only one side and of course, there will be a time when the other side will be heard, but I cannot say anything in anticipation of that time."

At that moment the aged father of Ruef was admitted to the room, and others were excluded.

RUEF NOT NEEDED.

Ruef's testimony is not needed just yet by the grand jury. A firm foundation has been laid for the cases so far by the testimony of those who have lately appeared before the grand jury.

So this disposes of the question of the necessity of Ruef's appearance for the present in the light of an informer.

No more exhaustive use of the law to defeat the ends of a prosecution has ever been known in the practices of the courts of this state or for that matter in the country, than has been sought by Ruef and his counsel. Not only has the law been invoked but the conceivable machination outside of the law practiced to procure some sort of blocking move against the prosecution.

None of these efforts have been made in a conscientious way since just before the recent developments. The spectacle of Ruef and his able counsel sitting down helpless in the face of the guardianship of Elisor Biggy. Not one single honest effort has been made to secure him a release from this imprisonment and this statement is made in the face of the grand stand plays in the courts but which any jurist can verify in melt in the statement of Ruef.

RUEF CONTENTED.

Ruef has been contented with his surveillance and his prison at the St. Francis.

What other place would it have been possible for him to meet Burns and others of the prosecution? Where could he have arranged meetings with men he has so bitterly arraigned without the knowledge and the exciting of suspicion among those who are interested in his welfare be their motives what they are?

Even though he is a prisoner so to speak, in charge of an elisor of the court, that was no reason he should receive visits of Burns all hours and without any let or hindrance.

The secrets of the now famous room in the St. Francis may never be revealed but they will in the end prove not the most interesting of the history of this case. Ruef is surrounded by those who are sworn to the law and to all which is antagonistic to the prisoner so long as the matter is one of a person accused of crime.

FIGHTING FOR LIFE.

Ruef is a human being and being such will fight for life.

Liberty is a boon but the desire to live is inherent in all people and the very sweetest thing which ever fortifies the ambitions of man.

Could Ruef live long if he told all he knew?

Murder is a harsh thing to anticipate or accuse one with.

Strange things than the snuffing out of man's life have frequently happened when the issue was less pernicious to others than would be Ruef's confession at this time. It admits of calm thought without the presence of Burns. There should be no difficulty in assuming that the parties may have been agreed upon that he should assume the role of informer. A memo to persons whose standing is supreme in finance, business and the world of solid citizens. The ramifications of such a movement are scarcely to be crediting and before it the Teween ring, Missouri grafters and other cases sink into insignificance.

Ruef is in due peril and he knows it.

NEVER GET OUT OF COURT.

There is every doubt of his getting out of the court room even giving him the responsibility for all that is possible for his confession to bring about.

Could he be in a safer place than the one where he is now?

He is safe, but his guards, officers of the court, and his family and his lawyers. Not even a letter passes without inspection. Even his food is watched and strangers are unknown within any distance of his quarters. Armed men with rifles to shoot are always present.

With sober thought the whole position is unusual one in any annals of law in this country.

Would he be safe in jail?

NOT SAFE IN JAIL.

Not even at his own request could he be kept immured. Might there not be reason for an apparent suicide? Broken in spirit and body ruined in every way, he might well die in his cell.

He would go to make up his mind of that of any other man. Would it naturally follow that if he were to be found dead, strangled as prisoners often are in their cells that he had killed himself in re-morse?

How much better the quarters where he is confined at present. Guarded by officers of the court and needed either for confinement or for trial and an order for the less or the medium for the confinement of those who are the corruptors of the Commonwealth. The foulest of all criminals the givers of bribes. The worst of the worst, the traitors in the weak and the vain seeking out the ill of individuals to the disgrace and the weakening of the very fabrics of the greatness which has made this the nation of the world.

BEHIND THE SCENES.

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GRAFTERS "WILL BE GOOD DOGS NOW," SAYS HENRY

Thus Referring to Board of Supervisors, Whom He Says Will Not Be Removed.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—"We don't want to remove the Supervisors."

This statement by Francis J. Heney officially as assistant district attorney, has revealed the kaleidoscope of graft into another brilliant and glittering spectacular.

"Every Supervisor," he adds, "that appeared before the Grand Jury told everything he knew about graft in this city. With the evidence which we hold over them they will be good dogs."

"If we forced the removal of the present Supervisors, Schmitz, who has the power to make appointments to fill vacancies, would appoint another board over whom we would have no control, and the members would be free to work out their own ends."

IN ANOTHER WEEK.

With all his forcefulness Mr. Heney declares the position of the prosecution and delves farther into the subject by an appeal to the people to be patient and wait another week. The people whom he declares "it is a pleasure to serve."

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Stockton Is a Clean Town, for the Water Has Washed All Its Sins Away.

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side at Santa Margarita and may be tied up for two or more days. One overland train leaving San Joaquin today will go east by way of Stockton and Sacramento, and the islands which have thus far withstood the storm are Grand, Rye and Sherman, making a distance of over 500 miles.

Oregon trains, however, are not expected to get beyond Kennewick. Many railroad passengers are going from here to Portland, Oregon, by motor transportation being supplied by the railroad companies.

Trains delayed overland trains are expected to arrive here today.

IN SOUTH DAKOTA.

LOS ANGELES. March 22.—The railroad situation between here and San Francisco is practically unchanged from yesterday. The Santa Fe and Southern Pacific, by a combination of tracks, are able to get trains through the San Joaquin Valley. The Santa Fe is running all trains regularly although their line is still washed out at Stockton.

At this point the Santa Fe is using the Southern Pacific tracks between Oakland and Calvo. The Southern Pacific is keeping both of its regular valley trains running by detouring over the Santa Fe between Mojave and Colton.

The Coast line is opened as far as San Luis Obispo from Los Angeles. It is not expected that the damage at the Santa Margarita tunnel will be repaired this evening. It was hoped to open the valley line by this evening, but rain is falling again today and work is retarded.

The Salt Lake reports no change in conditions on that line. It may be open shortly after April 1, if no further damage ensues. The eastern lines of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe are open. The weather indications are for more rain here.

AT SACRAMENTO.

SACRAMENTO. March 22.—Early morning reports from the down river district are to the effect that the levees have broken in four places between

SCRAPPY FIGHT TRUST RAPIDLY HUNTING COVER

Britt and Coffroth Will Take No Chances but Tell the Whole Truth if It's Demanded.

SAN FRANCISCO. March 22.—From the standpoint of the fight trust just now the order of the day is to get together. Every personal difference, petty jealousies and disagreement is to be sunk into a condition of joyful accord with a view of general protection. Such a plan was outlined and agreed upon at a matinée meeting held yesterday afternoon by Britt and Coffroth, together with Eddie Grancy, Grancy, according to the alleged confession of Morris Levy, is the one who gave Abe Ruef the \$26,000 corruption fund which has been so freely exploited.

Filmore street sports are not yet through expressing surprise over the excess of the fight trust by the confession of Morris Levy. Much was not understood of the secret publicized by Grancy with regard to his being able to break into the game with Britt, Coffroth and Grancy because it was well known efforts were frequently made to double-cross him.

GRAFT SCHEDULE.

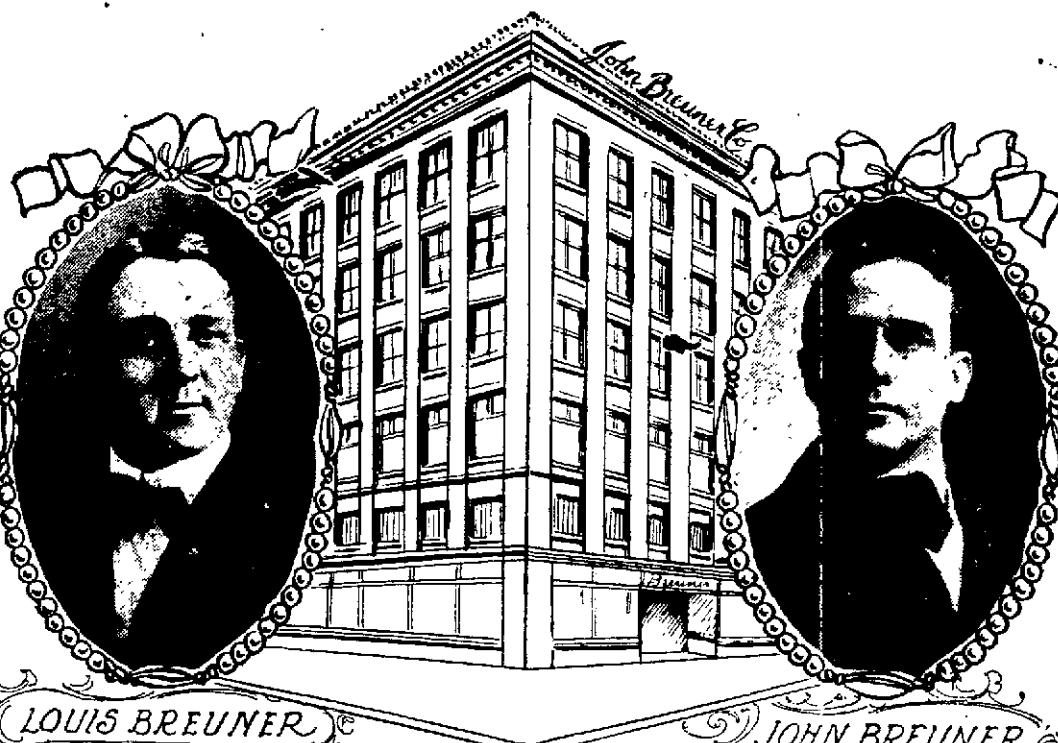
BRITT SAYS— Supervisor Lomanski and Morris Levy have told what was the price charged by Ruef for the existence of the graft. Each supervisor received \$500 and \$10,000 went to the head of the city government and his dictator. The money was paid in \$500 apiece from each member of the trust and handed, Levy alleges, by Eddie

Grancy to Ruef.

LOUIS BREUNER.

JOHN BREUNER.

NEW BREUNER BUILDING OPEN TO PUBLIC SATURDAY



Reception Afternoon and Evening, to Which All Are Invited.



O. F. OLSEN

A high-class orchestra will render a programme afternoon and evening arranged by the very well known mu-

sical director, Paul Steinorff, and to lend further interest to the event, a beautiful solid brass bed fitted with mattress, spread, etc., will be given to some one of the lady visitors. However, it will probably not be possible to determine who the lucky person is for several days, but public announcement will be made in due time, and then the outfit will be delivered promptly.

No attempt will be made to sell goods before Monday, as tomorrow's event is to be purely a social affair. By making it strictly a reception, the management feels that more people will feel free to attend.

The various interests of the Breuners have grown to enormous proportions in a comparatively few years, and large stores are conducted by them in Sacramento, Reno and San Francisco. The company made its advent in Oakland almost the day following the San Francisco disaster a year ago, and the business has been conducted under the management of O. F. Olsen, formerly buyer for all Breuner stores at the corner of 12th and Harrison streets, pending the completion of the new building.

With its permanent force of one hundred and ten employees and fifteen delivery wagons, the John Breuner Company has succeeded, by working day and night for several days, in getting its handsome new building at Thirteenth and Franklin streets in readiness for the formal opening and reception tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Repeated delays in the completion of this building have held back the opening for several weeks; hence no time was lost in getting the floors filled with the immense stock of furniture, carpets, rugs, etc., which has been accumulating for days past, after the elevators were in operation and the lighting system could be used. The building as it stands today, with its large and elegant stock and modern equipment, is beautiful beyond description and the enjoyment to be derived from rambling through from one floor to another, suggests the thought of it being more like a great grand exhibition than a retail store. The extensiveness of the floor area and the stock is wonderfully impressive and there cannot fail to be many expressions of surprise and approval from tomorrow's visitors.

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have until Monday to make response to the showing of the defense.

BY HIS ATTORNEYS.

Clyford Hartridge of Thaw's counsel, stated today that the affidavits to be presented in Thaw's behalf would be made by his attorneys and the various alienists who have appeared for the defense. These affidavits will merely state that Thaw at present is able to advise his counsel fully, understands the proceedings against him.

"That is all the law requires us to say," said the attorney. "It is not a question as to whether he is of unsound mind at all; the only question at issue is whether or not he understands the proceedings against him."

We can produce overwhelming proof that he does. We will also submit documentary evidence in Thaw's own writing."

THAW FAMILY PRESENT.

When Justice Fitzgerald took his place on the bench today all the members of the Thaw family were seated in the courtroom, and when Harry Thaw was called to the bar he seemed surprised and delighted to find them present. They had all been excluded ever since the taking of testimony was begun. The prisoner bowed to each member of the family group, and in turn they all bowed and smiled at him cordially.

Of Thaw's counsel neither Mr. Delmas nor Mr. Gleason was present. It was generally understood the proceeding was to be but a formal adjournment of court.

As the court was formally opened District Attorney Jerome suggested that the jury be excused until Tuesday morning next. Justice Fitzgerald thought Wednesday would be early enough. He so informed the jurors and they immediately withdrew.

Justice Fitzgerald told the attorneys that if he desired a hearing in the matter of the proposed commission he would inform them by Monday evening or Tuesday morning.

After the jury had retired Justice Fitzgerald said that on yesterday Mr. Hartridge had attempted to be heard.

JEROME'S STATEMENT.

"I understand," he continued, "that he had something to say in the matter at the time of adjournment, and I did not allow him to proceed. It occurs to me now that he might have desired to make a statement with reference to the district attorney's remark that he served notice on the counsel of record that if they possessed information he believed to be in their possession, he would call the matter to the attention of the Appellate division. I will see Mr. Hartridge now if he so desires."

"I replied to Mr. Jerome by telling him that if he thought our client was insane he should come out and say so. He answered that there was a big difference between an official opinion and an unofficial opinion; that he was convinced officially that Harry Thaw was insane and he would come out and say so. He also said that we should let the people know that he would do this."

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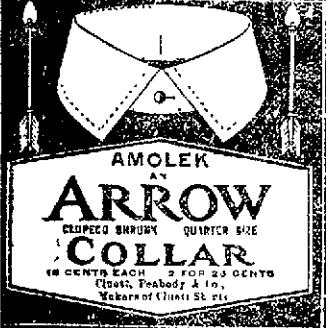
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GOAT ISLAND NOT FAVORED

Proposition to Place Capitol There Turned Down By Council.

J. W. Pembroke of San Francisco has communicated with the City Council and requested that body to use its influence in having the State capital removed to Goat Island, which, he says, is an ideal spot. In his mind's eye he can see the great dome of the capitol building rising majestically into the heavens, commanding the bay in all directions. He says the building itself when thrown in relief, would stand like a sentinel guarding the Golden Gate and making one of the most magnificent spectacles in the world.

The communication was filed and it is not probable that Goat Island will become the seat of government of the State of California.



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STREETS ARE TO BE NAMED

Berkeley Thoroughfares to Receive Cognomens of Artists and Literary Men.

BERKELEY, March 22—Names of prominent literary people and artists of California are to be given the streets in the new Cragmont tract, about to be opened by the Cragmont Land Company.

The poet, Charles Keeler, will have the first street in the new tract named after him. This is particularly appropriate, as Keeler is one of the most ardent admirers of Berkeley and has never let a chance slip by when he could sing her praises. Berkeley artists will also be honored. The name of Douglas Blue, the sculptor of the football statue, will be used. Joseph Le Conte will also have one of the streets named after him. Among others prominent in California life and history will be Joaquin Miller, Bret Harte, "Mark Twain" and several others whose names will be used as soon as possible.

It is the intention of the Cragmont Land Company to start with Berkeley people first, then take the name of others eligible living around the bay, then those of California, then the United States, and when the new tract to the north of the Cragmont tract is opened, to draw upon the whole world for names.

This departure on the part of the land company is unique in the respect that it will be the only tract of its kind in the United States. In several Eastern cities, Boston, Cleveland and Chicago, for instance, the names of poets and writers have been used as names for streets, but there have been other names, such as soldiers and statesmen used also, so that this Berkeley tract will have the honor of being wholly devoted to literature and the arts. Francis Fetter said this morning:

"The reason we gave Charles Keeler the preference was that he has always done so much for Berkeley, and almost all of his work has been in his home overlooking the Cragmont tract. I think his name was most fitted to be the first used."

EXAMINATION FOR POSTAL POSITIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission will hold an examination for the position of clerks and carriers, in the Oakland post office, April 16, 1907.

For application blanks, instructions, etc., apply to Edwin D. Bothwell, local secretary, room 23 Postoffice building, Oakland, Cal.

NERVOUS DEBILITY LEADS TO SUICIDE

CHICAGO, March 22—Louis C. Siddlecott, secretary and treasurer of the National Uncle Company, committed suicide today by shooting himself through the head. He suffered from nervous debility.

MINERS WILL GO IT ALONE

Vote Held in Goldfield and Men Decide to Have Separate Union.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., March 22—By a vote of 1120 to 768, or a majority of 352, the miners of this district have asserted that they wish to hold meetings by themselves and not be outnumbered and overpowered by the Industrial Workers of the World, composed of salaried men, bartenders, dishwashers, cooks and so on. The Industrial Workers of the World men fought hard at the polls to defeat the separate meeting proposition but the members of the Western Federation were equally determined that their own men should get out and assert themselves, with the result that they have won out.

SIGN PETITION.

Last night a petition was signed by a large number of miners calling a special meeting of the federation for noon today, at which time the miners will consider what is the best course for them to pursue in the future. They will undoubtedly elect a new set of officers and organize strictly independent of the Industrial Workers of the World. They will also probably decide to return to work in the mines. The business men and mine owners have agreed in writing that the wages and hours of labor shall remain undisturbed, providing the men break from the Industrial Workers and thus the miners are doing as fast as they can, as are all the trades in Goldfield.

MINES TO OPEN.

It is prophesied on the streets that the mines will be in operation within a few days and that the Industrial Workers are practically dead in the entire State. Various districts have repudiated this organization. In fact, every mine in the State will remain closed if the Industrial Workers of the World does not drop out of all operations. The market shows great strength. Goldfield people are buying heavily and prices advanced from 25 to 50 and even 100 points over Tuesday.

CAKE-WALK AT LAKESIDE RINK

Cake-walk and two-step contests at the Lakeside Rink are becoming more popular all the time and the event scheduled for this evening promises to be largely attended. Even the inclement weather of the last few days has not materially decreased the attendance at the rink. The girls of the sport appear to be willing to undergo a rather unpleasing experience in order to enjoy their favorite pastime.

Tomorrow evening there will be another of the popular graceful skating contests and Sunday evening will be ladies' night, when all ladies will be admitted to the rink free of charge.

The popularity of the rink appears to be getting greater. This was demonstrated on the occasion of the fifth prize masque carnival. The crowd was larger at that event than had been since the opening night of the rink.

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**FRENCH MONEY
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Noted French Financier Traveling Through California As Guest of E. H. Harriman.

BERKELEY, March 22—J. Edward Nootzam, senior member of the big French banking house of that name, which competes with the French branch of the Rothschilds in Paris, was in Berkeley yesterday, inspecting the campus and the foothills. He arrived early in the morning in a private car over the Southern Pacific and the local officials are showing him every courtesy as per telegraphic instructions from E. H. Harriman.

It was the banking firm with which Nootzam is connected that originated the loan to aid in defeating France during the Russo-Japanese war. He also successfully placed the \$40,000,000 loan of the Pennsylvania railroad in France not long ago.

Now it is rumored that Nootzam is inspecting the Harriman lines in California prior to loaning Mr. Harriman \$50,000 to aid in defeating the many projects he has in view in the West for the construction of the Panama Canal.

The property consists of five claims, located about 3000 feet northwest of the Spider and Wasp mine, and is in the line of the rich ledges of that vicinity. No work has been done on this ground, outside of the location work, but the ground is covered by good quartz croppings and has splendid speculative possibilities. The price of the property was \$40,000, the greatest portion of which was in cash.

A company will be incorporated to take this group and will be known as the Badger-Wonder Mining Company. Active operations will commence at once and the property will be in charge of Charles Maunder who is well known in Tonopah.

The officers of the company will be Louis Schloss, president; R. E. deB. Lopez, who is a very wealthy Englishman of San Francisco, vice-president, and J. W. Shelton, secretary and treasurer.

THE RUGBY

**GUIDES ARE
NOT WANTED**

Vigorous Protest Against Their Appointment in Chinatown Made to Council.

SUN SZE YO, Chinese Consul in San Francisco, vigorously protested, by letter, last night, at the City Council, against the ordinance permitting "guides" to be appointed in Chinatown.

A protest also from a Chinese paper was received.

The Chinese Consul calls attention to the fact that "guides" in Chinatown have always shown visitors and tourists the lowest forms of life, bringing thereby contumely on the Chinese race.

It was pointed out that visitors departing from the dens of vice and iniquity would have a very poor opinion of the Oriental races and that for reason "guides" should not be licensed.

The ordinance is now in committee, so no action was taken.

COLONEL IRISH IS TO OCCUPY PULPIT

The pulpit of the First Unitarian Church will be filled Sunday morning by Colonel John P. Irish, who will speak on the "Needs and Opportunities of Civilization." His talk will be on the subject of the Unitarian Church and his well-known ability as an orator will undoubtedly call out a large attendance. A general invitation is extended to the public.

**SHOOT BOSSIE
TO END PAIN**

Cow That Was Stuck in Mud Is Killed By Humane Officer.

BERKELEY, March 22—Humane Officer Rogers yesterday killed the cow that got stuck in the mud at the foot of Carlton street and could not be extricated. The animal had sunk so deep that only its head was exposed, and the Humane Society came to the con-

cclusion that "bossie" should be shot to save her from further suffering.

Much attention had been attracted to the plight of the animal, owing to the fact that blankets and coverings were thrown over it to shelter her. Food and drink were daily taken to the animal by its owner.

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TRAINMEN TO BE EXAMINED

Board of Arbitration to Take Up Wages Paid Other Railway Employees.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Inquiry into the controversy between the Southern Pacific Company and its telegraphers was resumed yesterday morning by the board of arbitration, with the cross-examination of J. S. Quire, train dispatcher at Sacramento.

Quire testified that the cost of living in Sacramento was higher than in any other city on the Pacific Coast. He also stated that dispatchers received \$14 a month before the Order of Railroad Telegraphers took hold of the business. After 1902 the salary was raised to \$145. January 1, 1907, it was raised to \$150, and March 1 to \$155.

At the conclusion of Quire's cross-examination the board announced that in its attempt to reach an equitable solution of the question of increased wages, it would hear evidence as to the compensation paid locomotive engineers, firemen, passenger and freight conductors and brakemen, since this class of employees was engaged in running trains, as well as operators and dispatchers.

NO AUTHORITY.

John J. Flaherty, a train dispatcher of the Southern Pacific, and an operator of eighteen years' experience, was then called as witness. He related his knowledge of his department and the rules governing it. He stated that he is receiving a salary of \$165 per month for his services; that he is not authorized to sign documents or orders and has no authority. He believes an operator who has been promoted from the staff will make a better train dispatcher than a new man, who is a stranger to the road.

The question then arose among the attorneys as to whether or not a train dispatcher must necessarily be a first-class telegraph operator. No decision was reached, as the chairman ruled that the question was not altogether pertinent.

S. A. Wentworth, a train dispatcher of Oakland, testified to the cost of living in that city. He stated that rents and other living expenses had increased 30 to 40 per cent since the disaster in April and that houses which rented at that time for \$35 per month could not be had at that price at a rent of \$75. He also testified that the telegrapher, which had been introduced about a year ago, would be discontinued, as it has proven a failure in train service.

LONG HOURS.

C. J. Parker, of Yuba Pass, related many interesting experiences as a snow-shed telegraph operator in the Sierras. At times his office had twenty feet of snow on the roof. Yuba Pass boasts of one dwelling, and its inhabitants include one dwelling, and two telegraph operators. The latter's hours are long and the living conditions anything but comfortable. Life on the summit in winter, according to the witness, is not enviable. The pay of a telegraph operator in those solitudes is approximately about \$60 a month, but, in addition, he receives light, fuel, water and house rent.

The board then adjourned until today. Many witnesses are in attendance in behalf of the telegraph operators and their examination will consume seven days. The testimony in behalf of the railroad will be presented and it is expected that this will consume a week.

The gravity of the financial interests involved in the decision of the board of arbitration is not generally recognized.

BIG INCREASE.

Wrote the Southern Pacific to grant the demands of the telegraphers, it would mean \$90,000 per month, or \$1,080,000 a year in excess of the present rates.

LIVELY TILT IN COUNCIL

Liquor License Brings About Lively Cross-fire Between Two Councilmen.

When the application of C. S. Moore of 524 Sixteenth street for a liquor license came up last night, a stormy scene was precipitated between Councilman Baucus and Councilman Burns, by the latter declaring he had been deceived and would vote against the application.

"I was told that Moore was going to be in the Kahn Building, but I find it is 80 feet below it. I will vote again the application for this reason."

"It is not because the owner of the building above you told you that you changed your vote," asked Baucus.

NOT TOLD THE TRUTH.

"No. It is not," said Burns, emphatically. "Some one lied to me and that is why I am voting against the application."

"I believe that I was the one that told you the location was in the Kahn Building," said Baucus.

"Well, some one did," said Burns, vehemently.

"The reason you are changing your vote is because some one abused you," retorted Baucus.

President Fitzgerald rapped for order, but the two councilmen continued to glare and talk at each other. The situation was relieved by putting the question of granting the license to a vote. A motion to deny was carried by a vote of 8 to 4.

PROMINENT MAN IS NOW RESIDENT HERE

The fine residence of Mr. Ralph R. Bellting, located on Chestnut street near Eighteenth, was sold yesterday through the office of George W. Austin, to Mr. John Quincy Adams of San Francisco, who purchased the property with the view of making Oakland his permanent home.

Mr. Bellting is a well-known businessman of San Francisco, and Mr. Adams, besides bearing the name of being a direct lineal descendant of one of America's earliest patriot statesmen, distinguished himself in the capacity of head gunner on the gun-boat "Monckton" during the civil war and afterwards had charge of the ordnance department of the United States navy for many years.

Mr. Adams has been attracted to Oakland as a place in which to spend the balance of his life by the climatic and social advantages, coupled with the promising outlook for growth in commercial importance as one of the chief cities and ports of the Pacific Coast.

Grand Opening of the S.N. Wood & Co. Oakland Store



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WATER RATES ARE PUT OVER

Council, After Discussion Leave Question For Settlement by the New Board.

No action was taken by the City Council last night relative to fixing the water rates for the year 1907-1908. With the exception of passing the entire question up to the incoming council which will take its seat on April 1, Councilman Pendleton moved that the council postpone action for two weeks. Burns thought it would be safer to merely adjourn, but President Fitzgerald stated that as the council in law was regarded as a continuous body, that if the water rates were

taken up at the next regular meeting that the city's interests would be safe guarded.

Attorney Chapman stated any time would be satisfactory to the People's Water Company.

A motion to continue the matter until the next regular meeting was then put and carried.

STOCKTON COMPANY READY FOR BUSINESS

STOCKTON, March 22.—The Holt Manufacturing Company sustained practically no damage to their store room, by the flood, and will make shipments of all goods carried by them just as soon as the railroad will receive the freight. They will resume shipments at once.

There is some water in the building used for the erection of harvesters, but the water did not reach the machinery and the company will have it all pumped out within a day or two. The factory, machine shop and blacksmith shop were operated yesterday afternoon.

SOCIAL NEWS OF ALVARADO

Many Former Residents Visit Friends—Place Was Visited by Flood.

ALVARADO, March 21.—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hopper of Berkeley spent Sunday at the home of the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dyer.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. E. Helwig Thursday.

Miss Mauer has returned from a several days' visit in the metropolis.

Mrs. F. B. Granger was hostess Thursday at a delightful afternoon afternoons when she entertained about

twenty friends in her usual gracious manner.

The Alvarado Rebekahs' lodge held a special meeting Wednesday when they were officially visited by the Worthy Grand President.

Mrs. I. V. Ralph and Mrs. F. Randolph, former residents of this place, but now of Oakland, spent Thursday here.

Mrs. J. Sunkel, who moved to Oakland recently, spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Harden.

Miss Ethel Foley will entertain the Girls' Club Saturday at the home of her parents.

Mrs. J. Stevens and Mrs. J. M. Scribner attended a luncheon given in San Francisco by Mrs. H. Lanier, who was Miss Alice Scribner of this place.

It was a reunion of friends who attended school together here.

Ralph Richmond, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richmond, of this place, was married to Miss Bertha May, in Oakland, Thursday. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam May, of Hayward. After a short

MORE LIGHT IS DESIRED

Councilman Burns Declares That Northern Portion of City Is Too Dark.

Councilman Burns last night, at a meeting of the city council, demanded that more light be given the northern part of the city. He said Berkeley was well lighted and he did not see why Oakland could not at least maintain the moonlight schedule as adopted at the beginning of the fiscal year. The question of more light was then referred to the City Electrician for a report.

On Tuesday there was a break in the track near Arden, consequently there were no trains during the afternoon, which greatly inconvenienced the many commuters.

Mr. Corleyou as Postmaster General ordered the five million dollar mail weighing draft to cease; and as Secretary of the Treasury he is in a position to see that his order as Postmaster General is enforced.

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Patrick Calhoun and Abe Ruef.

Patrick Calhoun diplomatically says the United Railroads never gave any money to Supervisors or other city officials, but he declines to state whether his company paid any money to Abe Ruef to secure the trolley franchise on Market, Sutter and other streets. A number of the Supervisors testified before the grand jury that Abe Ruef paid them, through James L. Gallagher, chairman of the board, large sums to vote for the franchises.

It is morally certain that Ruef never bribed anybody to vote for the trolley franchises out of his own pocket. His conceptions of political morality and civic duty would prevent his showing such altruistic generosity to a rich corporation. It is not supposable that the money would be furnished by anybody save the United Railroads.

Now, if Mr. Calhoun's corporation gave Ruef several hundred thousand dollars was it to employ him as an attorney or as an agent? Ruef has never figured as an attorney for the United Railroads. If he was paid an immense sum to get the franchises, it is a moral certainty that the persons who gave it understood perfectly what it was to be used for.

If Ruef was paid the money, as is alleged, he was employed either as an agent or as an attorney to get the franchises. The corporation is responsible for the acts of its attorneys and agents.

The fight trust has thrown up the sponge, but it still holds on to the swag.

It is a reminder of old times for passengers to be compelled to take the boat for Sacramento and Stockton. Even if the old river is on the rampage it comes in handy as a convenience for travel.

It is reported that D. M. Deirias has been retained to defend some of the San Francisco hoodlums. Do they propose to plead that they were temporarily insane when they took the money or "bug" when they confessed?

Periodical inundations will continue to devastate the finest section of California until the flood waters of the streams are impounded for irrigation purposes. The floods now sweeping down from the mountains, destroying crops and property and shoaling the bay and the navigable streams emptying into it, would be of enormous value to agriculture if held back for use in the summer months. Unfortunately what can easily be utilized for beneficent purposes is not only allowed to run to waste but to become an agent of destruction.

The Sutter's fort reported to have been swept away in the flood is not the historic but primitive fortification erected by Captain John A. Sutter where Sacramento now stands, and which was the arrival point of the swarm of gold-seekers coming across the plains in 1849. That ancient adobe fortress has been restored and is now the property of the State. A flood sufficient to destroy it would overwhelm the city of Sacramento. The fort washed away was a small portable iron entrenchment made in Europe and shipped out here in sections by Captain Sutter. It was situated on a mound near Marysville, and was of no value and little interest, as it was never associated with any historical event.

The Law Protects the Bay.

A complaint was recently filed with the Secretary of War concerning the injury to the oyster and fish industries and the shipping interests by the practice of pumping water mixed with oil from vessels in Sabine Pass. The War Department concluded that this practice was dangerous and injurious to shipping, and Captain J. F. McIndoe, the United States engineer in charge of that division of coast and harbor improvement, was authorized and directed to issue a circular letter prohibiting the discharge of oil in Sabine Pass and tributary waters. He did so by issuing the following circular:

"Section 13 of the rivers and harbors act of March 3, 1899, provides that it shall not be lawful to throw, discharge or deposit, or cause, suffer or procure to be thrown, discharged or deposited, either from or out of any ship, barge or other floating craft of any kind, or from the shore, wharf, manufacturing establishment, or mill of any kind any refuse matter of any kind or description whatever other than that flowing from streets and sewers and passing therefrom in a liquid state, into any navigable water of the United States, or into any tributary of any navigable water from which the same shall float or be washed into such navigable water; and it shall not be lawful to deposit, or cause, suffer or procure to be deposited, material of any kind in any place on the bank of any navigable water, either by ordinary or high tides, or by storms or floods, or otherwise, whereby navigation shall or may be impeded or obstructed, provided that nothing herein contained shall extend to, apply to, or prohibit the operations in connection with the improvement of navigable waters or construction of public works, considered necessary and proper by the United States officers supervising such improvement or public work; and provided further, that the Secretary of War, whenever in the judgment of the chief of engineers anchorage and navigation will not be injured thereby, may permit the deposit of any material above mentioned in navigable waters within limits to be defined and under conditions to be prescribed by him, provided application is made to him prior to depositing such material; and whenever any permit is so granted the conditions thereof shall be strictly complied with, and any violation thereof shall be unlawful."

"And section 16 of the same act makes violation of section 15 a misdemeanor punishable, on conviction, thereof, by a fine not exceeding \$2500 nor less than \$500, or by imprisonment for not less than thirty days nor more than one year, or by both fine and imprisonment, one-half of said fine to be paid to the person or persons giving information which shall lead to conviction."

"Under the provisions of the above act and by authority of the Secretary of War, the discharge of oil in Sabine Pass and tributary waters is hereby prohibited, and notice is hereby given that violations of this law will be brought to the attention of the United States district attorney for his action under the law."

J. F. M'INDOE,
Captain Corps of Army Engineers, U. S. A."

It appears from this that there is a sure and speedy way of put-

THAT PAINFUL MOMENT.



WHEN YOU BEGIN TO REALIZE THAT A MUSTARD PLASTER IS HOT.

tting an end to the dumping of oil refuse in the bay of San Francisco. The practice has obtained for many years, and has become so general that the waters of the bay are becoming exceedingly foul. Fish are being killed or driven away, and oyster beds damaged, while piles and wharves are being coated with floating oil to such an extent as to endanger shipping. Bathing in many places has been made unpleasant, and the floating scum around boathouses detracts from the pleasure of aquatic sports.

This condition is due to a violation of the law, open and continuous, that is becoming more flagrant and injurious to public interests day by day. If the persons who are complaining to the newspapers about it will only take their complaints to the United States engineer in charge of this harbor or to the United States district attorney they will do something practical toward invoking a remedy. Anyhow, the public bodies of Oakland and San Francisco should urge on the War Department the necessity of preventing any further fouling of the waters of the bay.

Mr. Heney states, so the San Francisco papers say, "We don't want the Supervisors to resign. They have told all they know about the graft, and will now be good dogs." But what has Mr. Heney got to say about who or who shall not be Supervisors? While he is directing the boodle prosecutions, he is officially only a deputy in the district attorney's office. A confessed bribe-taker has no right to hold office. He is disqualified by law and common decency. Is it proposed to boss a gang of self-confessed boddleers from the district attorney's office?

The proposition that the "deserving poor" should alone have their necessities relieved will not stand examination. What constitutes the measure of desert in this respect, and who is to decide where it lies? In nine cases out of ten those who search for the deserving poor find a fraud or a hypocrite. The kind of charity that offers a premium to lying and hypocrisy does more harm than good.

Stuyvesant Fish has soured on the President. Since Roosevelt declined to make Mr. Fish's personal grievance against E. H. Harriman a government affair the deposed president of the Illinois Central Railroad has come to the conclusion that he is "unsteady." Mr. Fish appears to be a very human person.

It is merely a coincidence that Burton is released from prison immediately after Bailey returns to the Senate. No wonder Spooner resigned.

OH, WELCOME DEAR SUNSHINE.

Oh, welcome, dear sunshine, peep out from your spheres And mingle your warmth with our sad pleading tears. We're surely convinced you've forgotten these mites Left for Winter to crush and deprive of their rights.

The chill of the mountain, the valley, the plain, Now wet with the moisture, the snow and the rain, Has withered and dwarfed all that's living below, And now they're in waiting your warmth to bestow.

So spring from the darkness and make our hearts free; The light not the shadow will fill us with glee; And God in his glory will make all sublime, And one grand rejoicing will come for all time.

Then universe wide, all in rapture aglow, Shall send you her blessings, for all then shall grow. No words can express this fulfilling of bliss; So welcome, dear sunshine, you'll ne'er come amiss.

CHORUS.

Oh, welcome, dear sunshine, thy warmth and thy power, Are loved by all nations, by seed and by flower. Oh, welcome, dear sunshine, we know you'll be true. Your rays will then nourish and build us anew.

F. L.

Pointed Paragraphs

A little soda water will relieve sick headache caused by indigestion.

Avoid prolonged use of the eyes for near or fine work; rest the eye by looking at objects at a distance.

Don't think you can sit day after day over the fire when you ought to go out for a brisk walk without your complexion suffering.

If you want your feet to look small, you must buy your shoes very carefully. Shoes ill bought will look big and ugly, no matter how small they may be.

Don't forget to brush the hair ten minutes every night with a whalebone bristled brush. This may make the head a little tender at first, but the tenderness soon wears off.

The white of an egg when beaten with milk and drunk night and morning is of service in mild cases of jaundice. When beaten with sugar and a very little water it will make the voice stronger and clearer.

Don't forget to have the hair thoroughly cut and singed every three months; it is not sufficient to have the long hair clipped. But special attention should be paid to the weak new hairs that spring up all along the central parting.

A cloth wrung out of hot water to which a little eau de cologne or toilet vinegar has been added, bound round the forehead, and renewed every ten minutes till the pain is lessened, is an excellent remedy for an ordinary headache.

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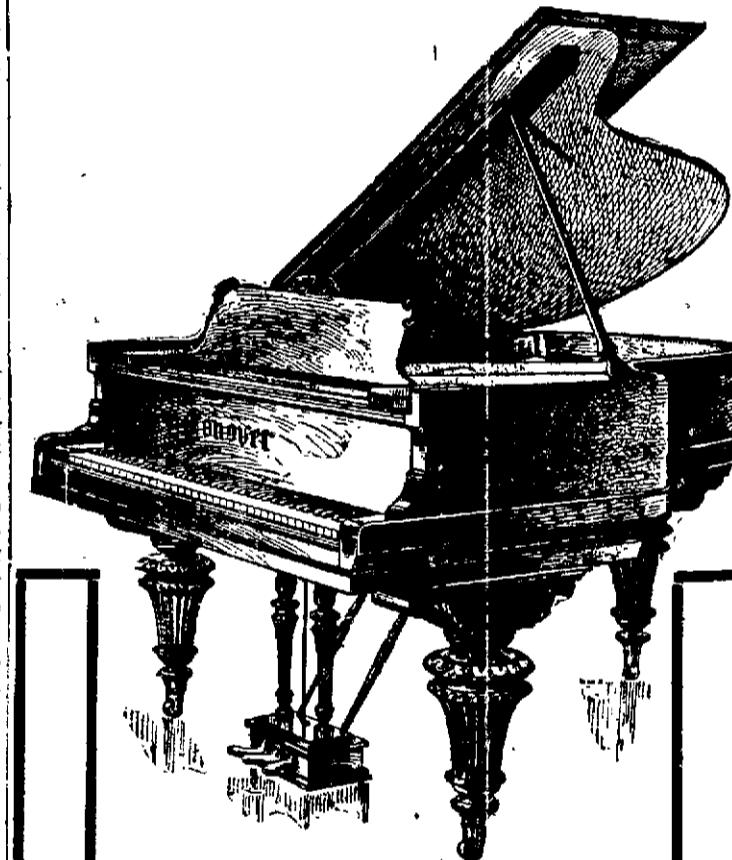
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HEART : TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN : HOME

IN SOCIETY: GOSSIP ABOUT THE SMART SET

Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens will entertain tomorrow evening at a dinner dance to be given at their beautiful Piedmont home. There will be five dinner tables, ten guests at each table and the diningroom will be decorated with violets, lilies of the valley and spring blossoms. The dance afterward will be given in the new ballroom and promises to be a delightful affair.

Among the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engs, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newell, Mr. and Mrs. William Henshaw, General and Mrs. Oscar Fitzalan Long, Miss Avis Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. John Spring, Dr. and Mrs. Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Penberthy, Miss Lillian Penberthy, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Bell, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosendall, Miss Carrie Nicholson.



MISS DAISY PERRY,
whose engagement is announced.

Louis Titus, Miss Marietta Havens, charge of the arrangements. A delightful season is anticipated and the patronesses who will add to the success of the organization are: Mrs. W. F. Kelly, Harry Seyd, Ed Aikens, Charles Field, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Knowles and others.

LARGE RECEPTION.

President and Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler are to give a brilliant reception tonight at Hearst Hall in Berkeley in honor of President Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia College, and Mrs. Butler, formerly Miss Kate La Montagne, of New York. Society folk from both sides of the bay will be represented. Mrs. Wheeler will not have a receiving party.

EUCHRE CLUB.

Mrs. W. H. Wallby entertained the members of the At Home Euchre Club this afternoon at the Piedmont Clubhouse. An hour at luncheon was followed by a card game. Covers were laid for: Mrs. George C. Pardee, Mrs. William A. Schrock, Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Mrs. Robert Boyer, Mrs. J. S. Emery, Mrs. Homer Craig, Mrs. Frederick Morse, Mrs. Thomas Winton, Mrs. J. Cal Ewing, Mrs. Frank Wedgewood, Mrs. A. C. Ditz, Mrs. M. Beasley, Mrs. Albert A. Smith, Mrs. Hammer, Mrs. Henry Bull, Mrs. H. B. Meiermann, Mrs. Walter Moody, Mrs. Chevalier, Mrs. I. A. Beretta, Miss Etta Penniman and the hostess.

QUIET WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Elsa E. Petoud, of Switzerland, and Y. M. Chanecelet, of Richmond, took place yesterday at the First Presbyterian Church, the Rev. E. E. Baker officiating. The wedding was the sequel to an acquaintance begun during the fire last year in San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Chanecelet will make their home in Richmond.

DANCING PARTY.

The Monthly Assembly will hold a dance Friday evening, April 5, at Ebell Hall, for which over one hundred cards have been sent out. The patronesses of the club are: Mrs. Frances H. Gray, Mrs. E. C. Hagar, Mrs. Edward Hoffman, Mrs. George Westland, Mrs. Thomas Cotter, Mrs. E. C.

The engagement is announced of Miss Daisy Perry and G. W. Christensen, of Alameda. No date has been set for the wedding, but it will take place this summer.

The bride-elect is said to be pretty.

MOST LOVELY ARM IN ALAMEDA COUNTY

TEMPTING TRIBUNE TOURNEY TROPHY

ONE DOZEN PAIRS FINE SILKEN HOSE

GIRLS AND WOMEN ARE ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE

One dozen pairs of silk stockings, the leading prize in THE TRIBUNE'S arm contest, is acknowledged to be a splendid incentive. Yet the chance to have an artistic photo of one's entire arm, bared to the shoulder, and with every beauty enduringly evident, should prove just as powerful a stimulus.

The world of today would like to have a true picture of the arm of Cleopatra, and of Aspasia, and of Helen of Troy, and of many other historical personages, but photography was an unknown art when those celebrities were alive, and even the skill of the portrait painter has never been able to approach in fidelity of reproduction the limning power of the sun.

Much, save vying pleasure, will redound to the advantage of the competitors in this, THE TRIBUNE'S, latest undertaking on a broad scale. For the various contestants will feel that they have contributed information of technical exactness that may excite rivalry in remote lands. One's arm can be a poem, sweet as any that Burns or Moore composed, and can be a figure brilliant as Canova sculptured in his fancy. There are arms in Alameda county, among the feminine population, which ought to be made visible to every lover of the beautiful, and it is only by employment of the camera that such niceties can be copied for general admiration.

The reader of these lines who is inclined to "help in the good cause" by contributing to the collection of expositions, will proceed to supply THE TRIBUNE with more material. If you, reader, do not have a photo on hand suitable for the purpose, then send a request this way for a free order on Bushnell's. That order will contain only this wording: "Issued by OAKLAND TRIBUNE. To be filed within three days from date at Bushnell's, 532 Fourteenth street, near

and popular and her finance is engaged in business in San Francisco."

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

The Ladies' Christian Endeavor Society will hold a whist tournament Wednesday, March 27, at 2:30 p.m. at California Hall. Five prizes are offered.

APRIL WEDDING.

The marriage of Charles Dichman, of San Francisco, and Miss Lotta Upton, of Los Angeles, will take place in April. The couple will spend their time between San Francisco and Monterey, where Mr. Dichman has a charming bungalow.

WEDDING CARDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Williams have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Frances Williams, and William Wallace Mein, which will take place on Thursday, April 4, at high noon at St. Thomas Church, Washington, D. C. Miss Gertrude Williams and Miss Dorothy Williams will be bridesmaids. After the ceremony there will be a reception at the handsome new home of the bride's parents, which has just been completed. The young couple will reside in Johannesburg, South Africa, where the bridegroom-elect has large mining interests. The bride and groom are well known and popular in California.

AT LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Wickham Havens entertained a few friends at luncheon Tuesday afternoon at the Havens' home in Piedmont.

"Miss" is an abbreviation of "mistress," which as an English law dictionary explains, is the proper style of the wife of an esquire or a gentleman. By Dr. Johnson's time it had become "the term of honor to a young girl." In the earlier part of the Eighteenth century, however, it was used respectfully of girls below the age of 10 alone. After that age "miss" was rude, implying giddiness of behavior. In Smollett's writings an unmarried woman of mature years and



A GRACEFUL POSE

Pictures of Contestants Must Conform to the Idea.

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Having acquired one of these orders, which will put you on a footing with any cash customer of Bushnell's, it will be your mission to arrange for an appointment when you shall be photographed. As to attire most fitting no suggestion from this quarter is needed. As to pose, Bushnell's artist will volunteer a hint, but any original attitude you may favor will be sanctioned if not too bizarre.

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CANAL ZONE GOVERNMENT

Changes Ordered by President Roosevelt Are Effective April 15.

WASHINGTON. March 22—Changes in the local government in the canal zone, which will abolish all the municipal governments now in existence and result in the harmonizing of various parts of the zone, are to become effective April 15th. President Roosevelt has signed orders providing for wholesale changes, and Richard Rogers, general counsel for the Isthmian Canal commission, will go to the zone with Secretary Taft and remain there for some time to assist in reorganizing the government.

NEW DISTRICTS. The five municipal governments in the canal zone are to be four administrative districts which would be under the direction of the canal commissioners. Under the old organization the five municipal governments were in control of the canal zone by appointment and not elected by the people. Consequently the abolition of the municipalities will not in any way limit the voice of the people in the government but will make it possible for the people to give the various administrative districts ordinances and regulations which are in harmony.

LIKE NEW PLAN. The municipal governments were found to be wholly unsatisfactory and all officers were convinced that the new plan will be far more satisfactory.

One of the new executive orders will authorize legal marriages to be made upon the canal zone by any minister of the Gospel. Another order will modify the penal code so as to remove defects found in the original code.

It is estimated that the total saving to the United States under the reorganized government in the zone will be about \$100,000 a year.

How to Remain Young. To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of rheumatism, sciatica, toothache, constipation, with such an unbroken串連 of the blood that my skin turned red as flame! I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and less fatigue. I understand Electric Bitters at Oregon Drug, drug store, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets. Price 50c."

SARATOGA AND RETURN

ACCOUNT BLOSSOM FESTIVAL.

On March 23d, 24d and 25th, the Southern Pacific Company will sell round trip tickets to Saratoga and return good until March 25th at the low rate of \$2.00. Tickets good going and returning on regular trains.

This is the ideal time to visit the great Santa Clara Valley, and see the miles of orchard blossoms in all their grandeur.

For further information see
G. T. PORSYTHE,
D. F. & P. A.
Corner Thirteenth and Franklin streets,
Oakland, Cal. Phone OAK. 543.

CENSURES HELICON HALL MANAGEMENT

NEW YORK. March 22.—The censor's inquest into the deaths caused by the fire in Upton Sinclair's Helicon Hall, at Englewood, N. J., returned a verdict last night, censoring the management for not providing means of escape in case of fire.

You Need It

Only one put out since 1902. Order now as only a few will be printed. The official map of Alameda county as designed by the County Surveyor. Send orders in writing to Business Manager THE TRIBUNE, Eighth and Franklin.

"Every Man is Odd"
But We Can Fit Him

What You Are Looking For is Here

If you are a young man; if you want more style in your clothes than you've ever had; if you are looking for the merchant tailor fit, or better; if your mind is set on a bright, rich pattern,—come straight to us. We have it all.

Just the colors and patterns a smart dresser will admire. There are blues, browns, black, fancy mixtures, plaids, checks and stripes, in worsteds—finished and unfinished tweeds and Scotch cheviots. They come in single \$15 and double-breasted three-button sack, \$20 and are the celebrated Longworth and Yale models.

Albert Eickus
1237 on Broadway
Opposite Fifteenth

THROW AGENT FROM TRAIN

Robbers Drop Messenger From Car and Then Boldly Rob Express Car.

PALESTINE. Tex., March 22.—As train No. 4 of the International Great Northern, north-bound, was leaving Elkhart, twelve miles below here last night, express messenger Winsley Womack, of the Pacific Express Company, was attacked and thrown out of the car. He was not missed from the train until Palestine was reached, and little later a telephone message was received from him at Elkhart saying that he had been assaulted by robbers. This set in the alarm opened when the train reached Palestine. The sheriff and posse left Palestine on a special train for the scene of the robbery.

DEMANDS TO BE ENFORCED

German Gunboat Leaves For Hayti to Back Up Requests of Minister.

ST. THOMAS. D. W. L., March 22.—The German gunboat Panther left here yesterday for Port Au Prince, Hayti, where, according to reports, he will support the demands of the German minister in connection with the treatment of certain German subjects who have made representations to the authorities at Berlin.

H.C. Cahwell Co.
12TH AT CLAY
CREDIT OR CASH

FATHER MAY FIND CHILD

Former Senator Beasley Obtains Clue as to Whereabouts of Kidnapped Son.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. March 22.—Former State Senator Beasley, for the kidnapping and murder of whose son, Kenneth, the Pasquoton County Court yesterday sentenced Joshua Harrison to twenty years in the penitentiary, has received from a lawyer concerning his boy and has left for that state to follow up the report sent him. Mr. Beasley is confident that he is at last upon the right track.

OAKLANDERS ARE ELECTED

State Council of Junior Mechanics Meets and Selects Its Officers.

RIVERSIDE. March 22.—At the Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, the following officers were elected yesterday: State councilor, L. G. Shannon, Oak-

OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

AVOID LUNG TROUBLE

Take one-half ounce Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), two ounces of Glycerine and eight ounces of good Whisky. Shake well and take in teaspoonful doses every four hours. It is said to break up cold in twenty-four hours, and cure any cough that is curable.

An eminent authority on lung trouble says if this simple and effective formula was known and generally used, throat, lung and bronchial affections would seldom reach an acute stage. Care should be used to select pure ingredients, and to avoid substitution. It is best that they be purchased separately and mixed in your own home.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) should be purchased in the original half-ounce vials put up expressly for druggists to dispense. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act, of June 30th, 1886, serial number 451, prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, plainly printed on them. Only the cheapest oils are sold in bulk, but these produce nausea, and never effect the desired results.

land; State vice-councilor, K. R. Bradley, Los Angeles; State treasurer, C. M. Prater, Stockton; representative to National Council for long term, M. G. McClinton, San Francisco; short term, J. L. Starr, Los Angeles. Stockton was chosen as the next meeting place. Strong Japanese exclusion resolutions were adopted.

Good tea and coffee, a nice pair of twins—Schilling's Best.



Charming Display in Millinery

The very latest Parisian and Eastern models are on display in the new and elegant showrooms just added to our establishment, and the public are cordially invited to call and inspect them.

Our display includes scrupulously correct models imported from Paris and the Eastern markets and are so modestly priced that our new department is bound to become equally as popular and well patronized as our well-known Cloak and Suit department.

You Will Like Our Credit Service

California Outfitting Co.
12TH AT CLAY
CREDIT OR CASH

Seasons Change, But Our Standards, Never

Once the foundation is solid the superstructure is safe. The foundation principles of our business—like cement—grow stronger with age, compelling greater confidence each year. That's why, after eighteen years with you, we frequently speak with such confidence.

Snow-White Infants' Wear

Here's where fond mothers find something new each time they come to the store. Dainty white dresses, long and short; long and short slips; pretty white petticoats—and all appropriately fixed with lace, embroidery and tucks.

H.C. Cahwell Co.
THE LACE HOUSE
12TH AND WASHINGTON STS.
OAKLAND.

The Unfolding of a New Season

—always an interesting time, especially in the Spring, because then changes of Nature and Fashion alike are more pronounced and comprehensive.

Have you yet seen how fully Spring has demonstrated her arrival at this store? The multitude of new things is a revelation—it's Easter, a resurrection everywhere.

True, the weather has been a subject of criticism for some weeks, and of disappointment to shoppers; but you've heard for years about "the silver lining," and if early choosing was forcibly delayed, the stocks offer just so much better choice today. And there is more than a week yet before Easterday.

Ladies' Hosiery

Of Newest Vogue

Something new in shade or weave to fill every desire.

A special value is a black Lisle Hose in lace boot patterns or all-over lace—

3 pr for \$1.00

Ladies' Spring Hose in opera shades embracing heliotrope, pearl gray, lavender, rose, sky, nile, champagne, etc., in fine, plain Lisle or lace boot patterns.

50c pr

Newest of dainty designs in embroidered black Lisle Hose; several grades—

50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 pr

Ladies' White Hosiery, swell designs in lace boot patterns—

50c pr

Lisle Vests

Each day we are receiving new designs in hand crocheted Swiss Lisle and Silk Vests; grades include everything from

50c to \$2.50

Newest Neckwear Including Coat Sets

Mention of enough to stimulate desire to see more.

St. Gall embroidered Lawn Stocks in daintiest patterns—

35c, 50c, 65c

Collar and Cuff sets—An excellent line in good variety, set—

50c, 65c, and to \$1.25

Real Irish Crochet and Baby Irish Collar and Cuff sets, set—

\$5.00 to \$7.50

Hand embroidered Linen and Irish Point Coat Sets in white and Arabian, set—

\$2.25, \$3.50 and \$5.00

Imported novelties in Chemiselettes and Yokes in new laces, also Valenciennes Lace and Lawn effects, each—

50c to \$3.50

Marabout Boas and Stoles in all light colors, each—

\$3.50 to \$6.95

Theater or Du Barry Scarfs—An extensive line in plain crepe, fancy crepe and chiffon; pink, sky, lavender and Persians, each

\$3.50 to \$9.00

Easter Handk'chiefs Ruchings and Veilings

Hard to tell of one-hundredth part in this little space.

The new checked and plaid Linen and shamrock Handkerchiefs; something novel

3 for 50c

Madeira Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs; a large, well-selected lot of good values

65c, 75c, \$1.00 and to \$2.25 ea

Beautiful Armenian Lace Handkerchiefs; still another lot of novelties

75c to \$1.75 ea

A special value—ladies' pure Linen, hand-embroidered, initial Handkerchiefs

5c ea

An extensive lot of new Ruchings in white, cream and colors

15c to 50c yd

Ruching in boxes, 6 assorted pieces, fine quality

50c box

Novelty Tuxedo Veilings in all Spring colors and black

25c to \$1.50 yd

Exquisite lot of Chantilly lace and novelty pattern Veils

75c to \$5.50 ea

Men's Furnishings Spring's Newest

A department where ladies can shop with satisfaction for men.

Fancy, negligee Shirts: many new shades and patterns that are exclusive; a fine Spring display.

\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00

Silk Four-in-Hands, bewildering array of novel patterns and not a new shade missing

50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

Men's Silk Squares—fashion's leaders for Spring '07; variety includes satisfaction for all tastes

\$1.00, \$1.50

Men's fancy Half-Hose; among the many novel checks, figured and open-work designs. It's hard to believe that even the most fastidious can be disappointed

50c pr

Black and colored elastic Belts: light and dark shades; plenty of buckie variety

50c, 75c and to \$8.00

Elastic Belts, richly steel studded

65c to \$2.00

Black and colored elastic Belts: light and dark shades; plenty of buckie variety

50c, 75c and to \$3.25

Children's double-faced, patent leather belts of all colors.

Spring's New Belts In Right Variety

Here's the right belt to connect every waist and skirt that's worn.

Embroidered Duck Wash Belts, close or eyelet patterns; nickel gilt buckles.

19c

Embroidered Belts of Linen or duck, gilt or pearl buckles

25c to 65c

Leather Belts crushed or plaited in black, white or colors; a display representing the season's best

50c, 65c, 75c, and to

PRAIRIE FIRE; TWO VICTIMS

Mother and Daughter Burned to
Crisp in Raging Flames
on Reservation.

BONESTEEL, S. D., March 22.—Driven by a furious wind, a terrible prairie fire raged on the reservation west of here yesterday. Mrs. C. H. Yeakum and her daughter have been burned to death.

The entire population of Herrick is out fighting the flames to save the town. Many farm houses have been burned.

The finest people in Alameda county buy furniture on credit; \$50 worth at Jackson's, 513 Twelfth street, Oakland for \$1 a week.

STYLERS
MONEY BACK STORE
THE BELTON HAT



Advanced Ideas

are always to be found at the BOYS' SHOP. We have anticipated the growing demand for youths' clothes in Greater Oakland and we are prepared to give you the smartest styles in Young Men's Attire at popular prices. Our Collegian Suits for young men are distinctive and snappy. Our fine worsted suits at

\$12.50

for dress are the accepted models in the realm of youth's style. You will surely want one of these suits for Easter Sunday.

The Boys' Shop

Washington St., Cor. Tenth
YOUR BOYS OUR HOBBY.

STYLERS MONEY BACK STORE THE BELTON HAT

Correct Hats
for all
Men to Wear



Spring Styles
Now Complete
all the smart new Spring shapes in soft and stiff hats are here. The clever "BELTON" HATS are right in quality, right in style, and right in price. BELTON \$2.00 BELTON HATS \$3.00 HATS Sole Agents

Smith's
Money-Back Store

Washington St., Cor. Tenth
WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF BOYS' HATS.

"The Eternal City"

\$1.20 Reduced

50c
SMITH BROS.
462-4 13th Street.

FORMER SENATOR BURTON LEAVES HIS PRISON CELL

Federal Prisoner Completes Sentence at Ironton, Missouri and Leaves for Home in Kansas.

HEAVY LOSS IN FLAMES

Building Destroyed in Pensacola Navy Yard Entailing Loss of \$175,000.

PENSACOLA, Fla., March 22.—Fire last night destroyed building No. 1 at the Pensacola Navyyard, entailing a loss of \$175,000. In addition to the loss of the building and its contents the machinery and equipment for the gunboats Gloucester and Isla de Luzon were destroyed.

WHITE MEN FIGHT WITH JAPANESE

ALAMEDA, March 22.—John Belgard got into a fight with Frank Kobo and C. H. Matsumoto, two Japanese, at 11 o'clock last night, at the corner of Lincoln and Park streets. In the scuffle the Japanese drew a revolver and almost frightened the Japanese to death. Officer Kayes arrested the three men, charging the Japanese with disturbing the peace and Belgard with exhibiting a deadly weapon. The Japanese were fined \$5 each this morning and the other man \$25.

PIFF-PAFF-POUFF HAT IS THE RAGE

Airily jaunty, jauntily airy, as if it had swirled from the sky, is the newest new thing in feminine headgear—airship hat. It has flown to Gothic straight from Paris, and indeed it is a marvel of French ingenuity. They call it "La Belle Piff-Paff-Pouff." It is the gay capital, and the gauzy, gaudy nickname fits admirably. It has the featherless, needful flyaway look immediately about to make any wearer headless. True, it's a toque, but even a toque lends itself to originality and the Parisian milliners assuredly have exhausted their powers of originality on this model. It's a March hat, too—though it may be worn by "April's lady," and even may carry its coquetry straight to the clifftop-swathed heart of many a seaside "Lord in June." The fetching headpiece boasts a lost-in-the-clouds effect that anchors the attention of every beholder. Moreover, so skilfully is it constructed that it brings the breezes of the boho month better than the more conservative shapes. Women who know say the airship model is ideal for auring—but perhaps are the summer wanes matrons and maidens will

have opportunity to flaunt its graces in yachts of the upper line.—New York Press.

OF COURSE IT WAS IN CALIFORNIA

A large Baptist church that stands in the City of Santa Rosa, Cal., enjoys the distinction of having been constructed entirely from a single tree. Of course that includes the woodwork of the structure. The tree from which the timbers, lumber and shingles were cut was a giant California redwood. A considerable quantity of the lumber was left over after the church building was completed. The building has a spire seventy feet high, an audience room capable of seating 300, a parlor capable of seating 100, a boy's study 14x20 feet, vestibule and toilet room. The building is 35x80 feet. There are not many buildings in the country all the timbers of which came from a single tree.

Come right in and pick out your furniture. Your credit is good if you live in Alameda county; \$50 worth for \$1 a week at Jackson's, 513 Twelfth street, Oakland.

Fancy lingerie hats for misses and children—everything that's original and fashionable ... \$3.50 to \$12.00

Children's Coats and Jackets in new checks; solid colors, white serges and alpacas; here indeed is something right in style for folks not older than 5 years; cute, loose box coats and reefer, nobby, severe or fancy; shades to gratify all needs ... \$2.75 to \$10.00

TAFT & PENNOYER

Easter Fashion Talk

The fullness of the measure of our Spring Fashion Show is recognized all around the bay. Weather has had but little effect on the attendance since we announced that we were prepared to satisfy the most exacting demands of what is to be a dressy season.

Swell Hats direct from Parisian salons to the TAFT & PENNOYER store; Fancy Gowns and Cloaks, Waists of rare grace and beauty, French lingerie, smart Easter attire for misses—these and all that goes with them, you are respectfully invited to see.

Children's Coats and Headwear

Infants' and Children's new pique Jackets and little box coats; plain or to fancy's extreme; beautiful hand-embroidery on higher grades; ages to 5 years \$3.00 to \$15.00

Children's Coats and Jackets in new checks; solid colors, white serges and alpacas; here indeed is something right in style for folks not older than 5 years; cute, loose box coats and reefer, nobby, severe or fancy; shades to gratify all needs \$2.75 to \$10.00

Novelties in Children's Headwear

Infants' Caps, children's poke bonnets in straw and very fine embroidered Swiss; pretty pique hats; a juvenile fashion show beyond criticism—

Fancy lingerie hats for misses and children—everything that's original and fashionable ... \$3.50 to \$12.00

Broadway...14th Oakland

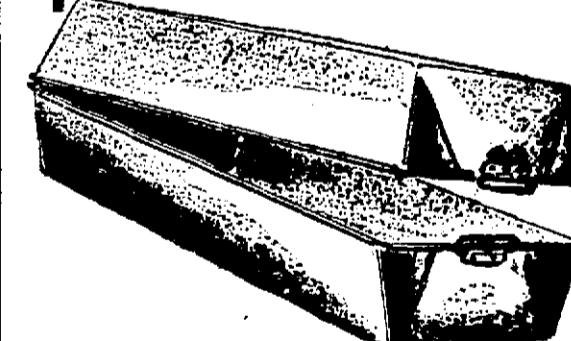
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MANUFACTURER'S AGENT

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Specials for Saturday TOMORROW ONLY All Day and Evening till 10 p.m.



"Savory" Planish Steel Double \$1.25 Roaster
Regular Value \$2.25

apiece

For Turkey, Chicken or Meats

PANS 10c Each The 25c Kind

BOHEMIAN LEMONADE SET

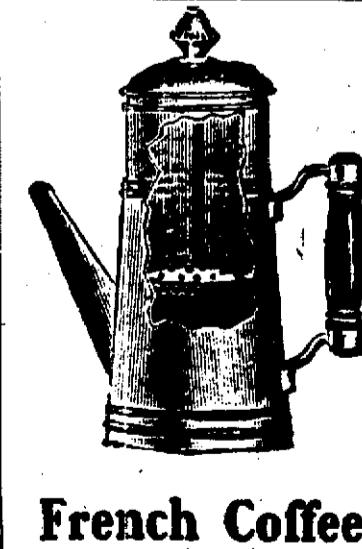
Pitcher and Six Tumblers



Very Handsome Design
A Set is yours for

50 CENTS

Always Sell at \$1.50



French Coffee Pots

25c Each Regular Value \$1.25

Remember, these Specials are for SATURDAY ONLY

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.

467 Ninth Street
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1157 FRANKLIN STREET

CARPETS AND RUGS

SMITH'S EXTRA AXMINSTER \$1.20 Per Yard
Ten Patterns Best Body Brussels 1.35 "

Price includes sewing, lining and laying.

LINOLEUMS 65c per yard

Inlaid Linoleum \$1.15 "

Price includes laying.

Compare our prices with those asked by other stores.

Chamberlain's

1157 Franklin St. Opp. Narrow Gauge Station

"The Eternal City"

\$1.20 Reduced

50c

SMITH BROS.
462-4 13th Street.

The English and American lawyers and judges have worked out a wonderful system that must command the admiration of all who have competent knowledge of it. This system is formed by the reports of the decisions of courts of last resort. There are probably now some 12,000 volumes of reports, giving the disposition of hundreds of thousands of particular instances that have arisen in the actual course of the ever-changing relations in human affairs.

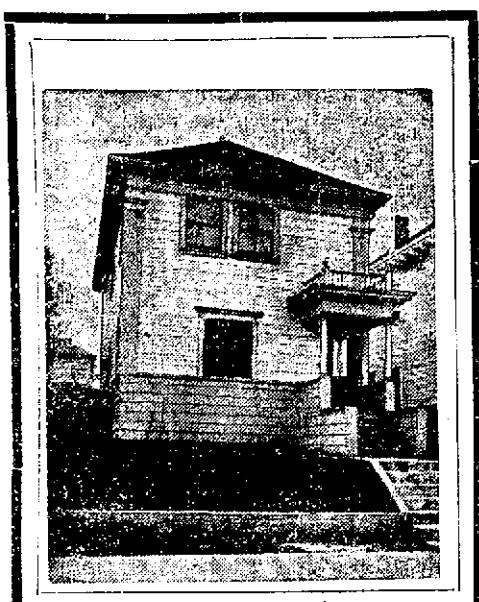
If every evidence of our civilization for the past year should perish, and there should remain only these sets of reports, all of our institutions, social, religious and political, and much of our science and philosophy, could be reconstructed from them by the "traveler from New Zealand" American Lawyer.

Pleasant Baths.

First-class Turkish and Hammam baths. Finest service on the coast; experienced attendants; also swimming tank for ladies and gentlemen. Take Pleasure car to Twenty-fourth street.

\$2,500 Cash

Balance easy terms will buy an excellent 9-room house in a choice residence district near Lake Merritt (west of Oak street); can be made into three flats very easily; lot 37½x100 feet. Exceptionally good—ask us about it.



\$4,000
Income \$40.00 a month.

On Chestnut street, in a first-class locality, very close to downtown, near all transportation lines; frontage of 31 feet; modern up-to-date 2-flat building; income \$40 a month.

For location, price and income this property cannot be matched elsewhere in Oakland.

Full details cheerfully given at our office.

\$4,200

One block from the corner of Telegraph avenue and 49th streets. New, modern 2-story house of 6 rooms and bath. Shed in the rear. Good size lot 35 by 100 feet.

About 20 minutes ride downtown.

In first-class neighborhood.

\$1500 mortgage can remain.

\$1,150

Lot 35 by 132 feet on Chestnut street, close in. Only vacant lot in this block. 1 block from car line. No other vacant property in this locality can be secured for less than \$40 a foot.

All new, good class homes in this section of the city.

Buy it for \$1150 and let us sell it again and make you \$250.

\$2,000 Cash

On Chetwood street one of the prettiest and most charming residence streets in Oakland, near Santa Clara avenue, close in—delightful location. The uniquely designed bungalow (5 rooms and bath) is "brand" new; 12 foot basement. Lot 37x132 feet. Price \$4250—pay \$2000 down—balance on easy monthly payments.

\$1,400 Cash

will give you possession of a fine 2-story, 8 room home in the choicest residence district in Alameda, overlooking San Francisco bay. Lot 40x125 feet.

This property is surrounded by beautiful homes and enchanting scenery.

\$4000 is the price—\$1400 down, balance on very easy monthly payments.

Business Property

This side of 19th street and very close to San Pablo—across the street from the Odd Fellows' new building site. Wide frontage of 96 feet, income \$130 a month.

One of the very best investments possible to obtain. Step into our office and we will gladly give you the full details.

\$3,100---In Berkeley

Near S. P. local station, 7 room house, 7 foot basement; large lot 50x135 feet. A splendid little investment.

\$1500 mortgage can remain.

\$5,000

INCOME \$45 A MONTH

Near Grove street, this side of 33d street, an attractive home of 6 rooms and bath; strictly first-class and modern in all appointments; hardwood floors; a swell little home on the north side of the street; driveway to barn in rear; lot 30 by 100 feet.

A 1 Investment

On Franklin st. close to 12th st. 2 stores, large basement, and a hotel of 32 rooms. 50 foot frontage. Income \$400.00 a month.

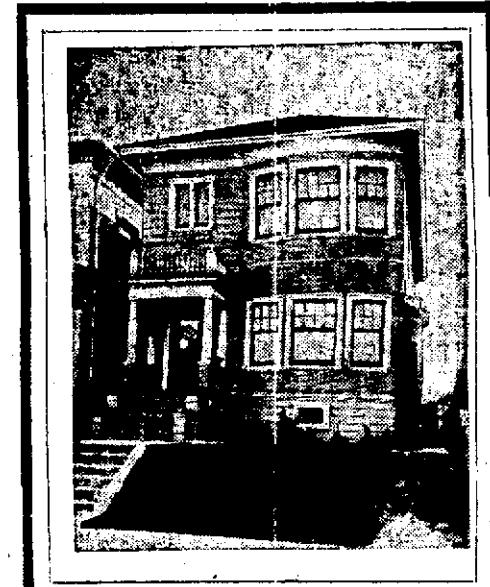
Take a look down 12th st. and see how fast it is improving. The construction of the Oakland Bank of Savings is progressing rapidly. The foundation for the St. Mark Hotel is going ahead very fast.

Just view a few of these improvements and then come in and ask about this property we offer.

\$1500 worth \$2000

A pretty home in East Oakland—centrally located—near car line. Large sunny corner 33 by 120 feet. Fine view—high ground. Four room cottage. Worth every penny of \$2000.

Buy it for \$1500 and let us sell it for you for \$2000.

**SPECIAL****\$6,250**

Between 8th and 10th sts. in a very fine neighborhood—only a few minutes walk to downtown center. A splendid 2-story home of 7 rooms. Outbuildings worth \$150. Thirty foot frontage.

This property must be sold within the next eight days; actually worth \$1000 more than price asked.

Here is a chance for some one to make a nice profit. Do you want it?

**Special
Representative
in Berkeley**

Our Mr. E. T. Minney will open an office in the First National Bank Building, Berkeley.

The new office will be open for business about April first. After that time Mr. Minney will not only be able to give personal attention to OUR INTERESTS, there, but will handle high-class Berkeley properties, as an independent Real Estate Dealer and Broker.

\$14,150**Income \$137.50 a Month**

Extra large lot 50 by 100 feet on 8th street right on the edge of downtown business belt. Four-flat building. On old rates income is \$137.50 a month. A slight increase will make the rents over \$150 a month.

Ground alone is worth \$150 a foot.
Equal to 10 per cent on an investment of \$18,000.

PHONE
OAKLAND 5621

M. T. MINNEY CO.
INCORPORATED

1059
BROADWAY

COLD WATER FOR PROJECT

Improvement Clubs Learn of Obstacles in the Way of Harbor Improvements.

BERKELEY. March 22.—Cold water was thrown on Berkeley's pet scheme for harbor improvement at the meeting of the conference committee of improvement clubs last evening, when Secretary S. N. Wyckoff presented a report on his interview with United States Harbor Commissioner Major Hartz that was not at all encouraging.

If Major Hartz' information, given to Mr. Wyckoff is correct, Berkeley will not be able to proceed with any of the projected schemes of harbor improvement, not even on the harbor rim project, without first undertaking a long suit in court to recover the city lands that have been sold by the State to private individuals.

CANNOT FILL IN.

According to Major Hartz, it is against the settled policy of the War Department to allow the filling-in of the bay beyond the bulkhead line, nor would permission be granted to build sea walls or fill-in piers where they may effect in any possible manner bay currents or tidal areas.

Communication has been received from the Oakland Chamber of Commerce praising Berkeley for her progress and indomitable energy and pledging support to the capitol removal campaign.

TOOK OUT ITS WORTH.

"Misery gave the fireman who saved his life when his house was on fire fifty cents for carrying him down the ladder."

"Did the fireman take it?"

"Partly. He gave Misery twenty cents change."—Baltimore American.

What is \$1 a week? It is a whole lot to the Jackson Furniture Co. It buys \$50 worth of furniture. 610 Twelfth street, Oakland.

WANTED!

Women and Girls

To work on Asparagus and Fruits

—AT THE—

California Fruit Canners' Association

FIRST and FILBERT STS.

Steady work till November. Cour-

toous treatment and good wages.

APPLY AT FACTORY,

N. ROSELLI, Supt.

OFF WITH THE OLD AND ON WITH A NEW COUNCIL

Closing Session of Retiring City Fathers Was One of Felicity and General Good Nature.

Perfect good feeling marked the closing session of the City Council last night. The old body retired from office and on April 1 the newly elected officers will be installed.

Councilman Pendleton started a series of pleasantries by thanking George Fitzgerald, the retiring chairman, for many courtesies during the last two years. Councilmen Donaldson, Elliot, Burns, McAdam, Thurston, Hahn and Meese, then followed with speeches, hating for the record their harmony that had always existed between the councilmen, despite the fact there were a majority and a minority each.

President Fitzgerald replied by wishing the councilmen well personally and expressing the hope that the city of Oakland would continue to prosper.

Those present were Councilmen Bacus, Burns, Hahn, Elliot, Donaldson, Meese, McAdam, Pendleton, Thurston and Fitzgerald. Attkens was absent owing to illness.

ROUTINE WORK.

Much routine work was finished by the Council. As little as possible was left over for the incoming council.

The claims of J. Walsh and forty-two other employees of the city were referred to the auditing and finance committee.

City Wharfinger Grie reported that \$1742.70 had been collected for the month of February.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolutions were disposed of as follows:

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to construct a culvert at the junction of Claremont and Telegraph avenue. Referred to street committee.

Requesting building inspector to render report on number of buildings erected. Adopted.

Authorizing Board of Public Works to open old channel down Shafter avenue to allow flood waters outlet.

Authorizing construction of sidewalks on Campbell street between Thirtieth and Forty-fourth avenues. Referred to street committee.

Directing the erection of a hydrant on East Fourteenth street. Adopted.

Granting permission to A. Gould to construct sewer in East Twenty-fourth street. Adopted.

Setting appeal of Hutchinson Co., from Superintendent of Streets' assessment for sewerizing Fifty-seventh street and Dover street for April 3. Adopted.

Denying petition of E. M. Derby & Co. to widen the sidewalk on portion of south side of First street. Adopted.

Granting B. Wallace permission to construct sewer in East Nineteenth street. Adopted.

Sewering Fifth street from Harrison street westerly. Adopted.

Releasing Hutchinson Co. from contract of grading, curbing and macadamizing Twenty-second avenue. Adopted.

Extending time for paying west half of San Pablo avenue. Adopted.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Deputy Sheriff Truette, a friend of Sheriff Taylor of Marin County, unMASKED a shock yesterday in the trial of his friend on charge of criminal libel. He testified that he had been approached by Salvador Pacheco, a friend of the sheriff's old enemies, the Cochranes, who told him "there would be \$200 in it for him if he would testify favorable to the Cochranes."

According to the witness, Pacheco also told him to go and see M. F. Cochrane about getting the money. He said M. F. Cochrane, but testified that the latter had made no offer to him for any testimony. Subsequently, said Truette, he had been offered a lucrative position by Sheriff Taylor, and another job by Assessor Cochrane. All of which he refused. He was recruited by Judge Cabaniss because Truette admitted frankly that he had no idea of his knowledge of the case.

NOT SATISFIED.

Judge Cabaniss was very much displeased with the contradictory, evasive and false character of Truette's testimony and said that the inquisitive statements made by him did not amount to anything. He stated that he would look into the charges made by Truette against Pacheco.

Trautte, whose evidence was so contradictory as to be worse than worthless and who made the damaging declaration against Pacheco, is a retired liquor dealer in San Rafael, holding the office of Fish Commissioner as well as Deputy Sheriff.

REVIVALISTS ARE COMING

Protestants Arrange to Erect a Monster Pavilion For Evangelistic Services.

Protestant ministers of Oakland and Berkeley are planning the erection of a monster pavilion for the purpose of conducting therein a series of revival meetings. If the plans, which are now being formulated, are carried into execution, it will be one of the greatest undertakings of the kind ever held in the West.

The plan is to erect a pavilion near the boundary line of the two cities, so as to be accessible to the residents both. No denominational lines will be drawn in the services, but Christian workers of the church universal will meet on a common plane.

While the plans are yet in embryo, stage enough discussion has been indulged in by the ministers to convince them that the movement would be a wise one and that there is a large field for their labors.

BEST SPEAKERS.

It is the intention, if the pavilion is constructed, to have none but the best speakers. Evangelist Torrey of Chicago, who has won a reputation even greater than that of the late Sam Jones, is favorably spoken of. It is not known if this evangelist could be procured, but at all events the speakers would be selected from the ranks of the most prominent.

The music will be furnished by one of the largest choruses ever assembled in Alameda county and this alone would draw a vast throng. The clergymen of the two cities feel that this is a most opportune time to hold union meetings.

TO RENT LUMBER.

The lumber used in the construction of the pavilion will be rented. After the protracted meetings close, after material will be returned to the dealer and a reasonable compensation for its use paid out of the funds raised for the purpose.

The ministers are confident that the meetings would be a great success and that there would be a flood of contributions sweep over the country.

BREAK WORLD'S BEST RECORDS

Athletes Score High in National In-door Meet at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Three world's records were broken last night in the special invitation events at the national indoor meet of St. Louis University. Fortune of Y. M. C. A. of St. Louis,

defeated Archie Hahn, of Milwaukee, in the fifty-yard dash by six inches in 51.5 seconds, clipping one-fifth of a second off the world's record.

W. W. Cox, of Boston, champion shot-putter, beat the world's record by putting the 12-pound shot 58 feet 8½ inches and the 8-pound shot 62 feet 8¾ inches. The former records were respectively 52 feet 6½ inches and 61 feet 8½ inch.

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NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND CITY OF ALAMEDA

TO CELEBRATE CHARTER DAY

President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia Will be Orator of the Day.

BERKELEY, March 22.—In accordance with the time-honored custom, fitting ceremonies have been arranged to celebrate the anniversary of the founding of the University. Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Charter Day exercises will be held in the Greek Theater.

An unusually large number of distinguished guests of honor have accepted the invitation of President Wheeler to be present. President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University will be the speaker of the day. He has devoted a great deal of attention to the philosophy of education, and the state. He will deliver an address on "Education and True Democracy." A deep interest is being felt in the community in what Professor Butler will say, inasmuch as he is so well qualified to speak on the subject.

PLANS SUMMARIZED.

In accordance with the practice of past years, President Wheeler will present a brief summary of the University's work during the past year, together with some of its plans for the future.

The musical program which is in charge of Professor Magee, will be supplied by a chorus of alumni, about sixteen in number. This same group of men sang two years ago on Charter Day in the Greek Theater and were given an ovation.

Rev. Thomas McSweeney of St. Francis de Sales Church of Oakland, will be the chaplain of the day.

PLAN OF MARCH.

As usual the students will assemble at 2:30 p. m. upon the walk between North and South Halls and will form the procession in column of twos, facing the north and grouped from north to south as follows: 1. Freshmen; 2. Sophomores; 3. Juniors; 4. Seniors; 5. Students of the professional colleges; 6. Graduate students; At this same time the faculty, alumnae and invited guests will form in double file in front of the library, grouped from north to south as follows: 7. Alumni; 8. Fellows, assistants, demonstrators; 9. Instructors; 10. Professors, including lecturers and astronomers; 11. Guests and Regents. At 2:45 p. m. the procession will start along the roadway on the north side of the Civil Engineering building and thence to the north entrance of the Greek theater. In case of rain students will assemble in the armory and march to Harmon gymnasium. Captain Nance will be marshal of the day, assisted by Professor C. A. Noble.

THESE IN CHARGE.

The arrangements have been in charge of the following men: Professor Leon J. Richardson, general chairman; Professor John Galen Howard, decorations; Professor G. Morgan, reception; Professor H. A. Overstreet, president of class of alumni; Professor H. B. Taft, reception of alumni; Professor Edmund O'Neill and James Sutton, tickets and seats.

TREAT FOR CHURCHGOERS

Rev. M. D. Clubb, One of the Best Pulpit Orators on Coast, at Berkeley.

BERKELEY, March 22.—Opportunity to hear one of the best pulpit orators on the coast will be offered Berkeley churchgoers next Sunday.

The Rev. M. D. Clubb, D. D., pastor of the First Christian church of Watsonville, will occupy the pulpit of the First Christian church of this city, and it is expected that large congregations will greet him at both services.

The Rev. Dr. Clubb, whose reputation as a deejayman was made in Kentucky before he came to the Bay area to take the pastorate of the First church of Watsonville. He has succeeded in keeping the Watsonville church one of the largest Christian church bodies in the State.

Nothing is better for the hair than the sun, or, wanting this, electricity. By it the sluggish glands are stimulated and given renewed vitality. Gray hairs may be washed off for years if the head is massaged and treated to sun baths or given electrical treatment. The latter must always be given by a competent person.

WILL LEAVE PHILIPPINES TO VISIT HER MOTHER FORMER CO-ED COMING HOME

Mrs. Marguerite Hugo Expected to Arrive in Berkeley Next July.

BERKELEY, March 22.—"Rose Bowes," the rustic villa of Mrs. Louise O'Toole, widow of the late Dr. O'Toole, is being thoroughly renovated and put in readiness for the joyous home-coming of Mrs. O'Toole's daughter, Mrs. Hugo, who for the last four years has resided with her husband in the Philippines Islands.

Members of the Berkeley smart set will remember Mrs. Hugo as one of the sweet girl graduates of the class of '03 of the State University and one of the younger society leaders who was the hostess of so many lawn fêtes on the spacious grounds of her mother's home in North Berkeley.

COLLEGE COURTESY.

After a courtship that lasted through their four years of college, Miss Marguerite O'Toole and Mr. Hugo were married two months after their graduation. They immediately started for the Philippines where Mr. Hugo had received an appointment in the consular service.

By careful application to his duties



MRS. MARGUERITE HUGO

Mrs. Hugo was rapidly advanced and last September was appointed treasurer of the province of Catabato.

WILL ARRIVE IN JULY.

In a recent letter home, Mrs. Hugo says that they will leave Manila sometime in June and will arrive in San Francisco about the middle of July. A small daughter and son, neither of whom the grandmothers have ever seen, will accompany their parents.

Already fêtes and parties are being planned by the friends of Mrs. Hugo's girlhood days, and preparations are under way for a hearty welcome home.

The candidates, other than the two who desire to be the city's first mayor, are not holding public meetings but have resorted to the buttonhole method and Park street is lined with them every evening while a citizen is in sight. The cigar stores report an increase in business and trade seems to have benefited generally by the awakening of the office hunter. Signs of life are now to be seen in every quarter where the picture of a candidate can grace a fence or window. Banners are appearing and all are now cognizant that election day is near at hand.

WARMING UP IN POLITICS

Candidates for Office Making Personal Canvasses Instead of Old Methods.

ALAMEDA, March 22.—With the municipal election but a little more than two weeks off candidates are getting busy and becoming adepts at passing the "glad hand" while soliciting votes in a retired, modest manner. Until a few days ago it was impossible to tell there was any fight for office other than that of E. K. Taylor, and Joseph F. Forderer for mayor, but now the men who desire to fill the minor offices are coming out into the open telling of their good qualities and giving the various reasons they have figured out, which entitle them to be elected as officers of the Alameda city government.

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SOME OF THE FIGHTS.

There are some interesting fights on at present for the office of councilman-at-large and for ward councilmen. William M. Bowers, as present a member of the trustees, is a candidate and his friends feel positive that he will be elected by a large vote. The councilmen-at-large are to be elected and the choosing of the second member is an open question. B. L. Fisher, the park street man, dead, Martin Owens, the W. H. Dohm plumber, and Vincent DeDomenico, an insurance man, are making a close fight and the question of who is to be elected will not be known until the ballots are counted.

FOR THE COUNCIL.

In the Sixth Ward G. Harold Ward and Robert Gee are fighting for the honor. In the Second there is quite a contest on between David Breahant and Peter Christensen. The fight in the Fourth seems to be between three candidates, Joseph Stuckler, Colonial Bullock and Charles Rose. W. H. Noy and G. A. Nissen are the candidates of the Fifth Ward and E. J. Probst and Gavin Atchison from the Seventh.

TAYLOR'S CAMPAIGN.

E. K. Taylor is arranging another meeting to further his candidacy for early in the coming week. Joseph F. Forderer's friends are to meet in English Hall Tuesday evening when he will formally open his campaign.

The charter recently adopted is distinctive from many charters of the State as here the candidates for ward councilmen, though nominated by wards, are voted on in every ward and elected by the citizens of the entire state.

MEET FIGHTS.

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ALAMEDA.

BERKELEY, March 22.—Success seems assured on the proposition to obtain a playground for the children. The Council has pledged itself to help as far as possible and a committee is to be appointed by Frank Ottis, president of the Board of Education, to find a suitable site and report the findings back to the council so that body can take action.

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**TOMORROW—SATURDAY
PUBLIC RECEPTION**

2 to 5 P. M. 7:30 to 10 P. M.

The pleasure of your attendance is respectfully requested.

A splendid musical program has been arranged by Paul Steindorff for both afternoon and evening.

No goods will be sold before Monday.

A Few of the New Store's Interesting Features

FIRST FLOOR

Devoted almost entirely to fumed and weathered oak furniture representing by far the largest showing of Mission and Craftsman productions ever seen in Oakland. Most of the pieces are exclusive designs which can be obtained only at this store.

SECOND FLOOR

Not a full floor but such a large balcony that we count it among the other floors. Here we have given display to the overflow of weathered oak and fumed oak pieces from the main floor with the addition of a very complete assortment of new and novel hall furniture, Boudoir Desks, Business Desks, Reception Chairs and a few other furniture novelties in various finishes.

THIRD FLOOR

Almost a floor of Dining Room Furniture so large is the assortment which includes every wood and finish known in the construction of dining room pieces. Many distinct periods are represented in truthful reproductions of Colonial, Louis XIV, Louis XVI, Renaissance, Empire and classic designs.

CORNER 13th AND FRANKLIN STREETS

FOURTH FLOOR

This floor contains the larger portion of our upholstered furniture consisting mostly of mahogany, Massive Davenport Arm Chairs, Rockers etc. But many dainty creations in small chairs, rockers etc. But ample room is left for a pleasing display of Book Cases, Library Tables, House Desks, small tables, among which are more representatives of the periods. Some of these reproductions are unsurpassed and will delight the connoisseur.

FIFTH FLOOR

A dazzling display of Bedroom elegance. Most worthy gathering of Brass Bed, Metal Beds, Wood Beds, High Grade Dressers, Chiffoniers, Toilet Tables etc. we have seen in a long time. An elaborate carved mahogany set consisting of Bed Dresser and Chiffonier valued as high as \$1500. Other sets in birds eye maple, Toona—Mahogany, Crotch Mahogany and quarter-sawed oak, which you will also want to see.

SIXTH FLOOR

More like a grand exhibition of Carpets, Rugs and Draperies than a salesroom. Best arranged Carpet and Drapery Department on the Pacific Coast and in close connection with the most modern work rooms in western store ever installed. Be sure to visit this floor.

Above Pictured
Brass Bed to Be Given Away
Value \$200

A ticket will be given to every lady attending our opening Saturday. Some one of these tickets will decide who is to receive the above pictured solid brass bed, fitted complete with a high grade Breuner mattress and beautiful spreads. Outfit valued at \$200. The Daily Press will take charge of the tickets and announce the name of the lucky person in a few days.

DROP YOUR TICKET
IN BOX ON FOURTH FLOOR

THE TRIBUNE'S DOUBLE PAGE OF TODAY'S

RECORDS ARE SMASHED AGAIN

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Three world records fell last night at St. Louis University's annual indoor athletic meeting. Archie Hahn, a winner for America at the Athens Olympic games, was beaten by Carl Portnoy, the Central Young Men's Christian Association runner. In the final Portnoy covered the distance in 0:05.15, the best time ever made for fifty yards. Wesley Coe, the Boston Athletic club shot-putter and champion at the sixteen pound weight game, broke the world's record when he tossed the twelve-pound shot fifty-three feet six and one-half inches and put the eight-pound weight sixty-two feet eight and one-quarter inches. The twelve pound mark was also shattered by three-quarters of an inch and the eight-pound mark by one foot and eight inches.

PUT THE MUSE OUT OF BUSINESS.
A number of Sanfransisco women gathered one day last week for a quiet afternoon listening to the soothing, gentle music upon the arrival of the Kansas City mimes. The mimes went down and out before the Thaw trial. —Sather, Kite Herald.

SAN FRANCISCO FANS SPEAK HIGHLY OF OAKLAND'S NINE

Fillmore-Street Sports Think the Counters Have Best Pitching Staff in the League--Gossip.

By T. P. MAGILLIGAN.

Unless many of the wise men in Oakland uniforms are showing up well baseball is badly mistaken. Oakland will cut a wide swath in the coast League pennant race this summer. The writer talked with a number of San Francisco fans last night and they all seemed to think that Oakland would be in the running this coming campaign.

All the fans seem to think that Oakland has about as good a pitching staff as there is in the Coast, and while the writer has not seen all the twirlers of the Coast in action he is satisfied that any team that can show four men with better pitching assets than Rudy Hogan, Gates and Radcliffe will be going some.

The only fault that can be found with the Oakland pitching staff is the fact that the team does not possess a left-hand pitcher, and this is a rather serious fault. With so many right-hand pitchers in the league the batters are likely to get on them and give them a mighty time throughout the season.

Rudy has rattled off plenty of weight at Santa Barbara and is going along splendidly. The Cleveland boy is there this season with the usual assortment of benders and he has the slow ball worked up to perfection.

All the accounts from Bakersfield bring encouraging reports about Van Harten's pitching staff.

Randolph has turned the most favorable comment of all the pitchers. The big Atlanta boy is bending them over in great shape, and the additional weight he has taken on since the close of the last campaign has given him more strength and additional speed.

The radiant-faced tyke looks to be the goods intended for the big leagues for next season, and when the scouts from the major pennants come to the Coast the fall will probably expect to see some of the wisdom up north.

Randolph pitched nicely after the fashion of Barnhard of Cleveland and when he gains more experience he should be one of the best position developed on the Coast for a long time.

BIG MEN BEST.

As a general rule the Coast League pitchers are not large enough men. The writer pointed out this to a few of the major scouts here last winter, but the pea pushers could not come to my way of thinking. To the writer it looked very doubtful if either Whalen or Keefe would make good in the big leagues and he gained an unwaranteed measure of censure for daring to be bold enough to give these views.

It takes a big, strong man to make good in the professional ranks of baseball, and when the scouts from the major pennants come to the Coast the fall will probably expect to see some of the wisdom up north.

JENNINGS WAS STAR.

"I think Hughey Jennings never had an equal as a sportster," declared Joe Corlett last night. "He was the king of them all. Jennings had an arm of steel, and could cover more ground than any shortstop I have ever seen in action. He was certainly a treat to see. Hughey knock down hits. He covered territory like a bird dog, and the only way you could ever get one past him was by tearing the very hide off of him. He was the greatest shortstop that ever wore a glove, and you take it from me that he will be a long time before they ever develop another Indian in the same class with the Angel Faced boy from Baltimore."

Hughie must hustle to remain in charge of a major league team for another season.

George Davis will not join the World's Champions until they reach New Orleans on their return from Mexico.

Underpaid newspaper writers are lamenting the inability of star ball players to hold up their respective clubs for exhibition long-time contracts.

Portland, Ore., has finally agreed to give the Rube Kinsella \$50 more on the month than the original offer and he will probably accept. Even at that he will be receiving \$25 less than Springfield paid him last season.

Jesse Stowall, the well known pitcher and outfielder, will now return to the American Baseball Association team. In addition to pitching for the Everett (Wash.) semi-professional team, he is the proprietor of a boarding house.

In the clean, new, big on the Coast a small fellow has some chance. The sun does not stop all his vitality, and a good little pitcher he is about as good as a good big pitcher.

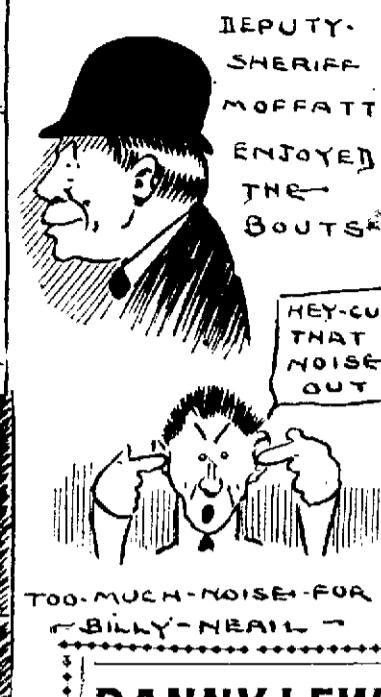
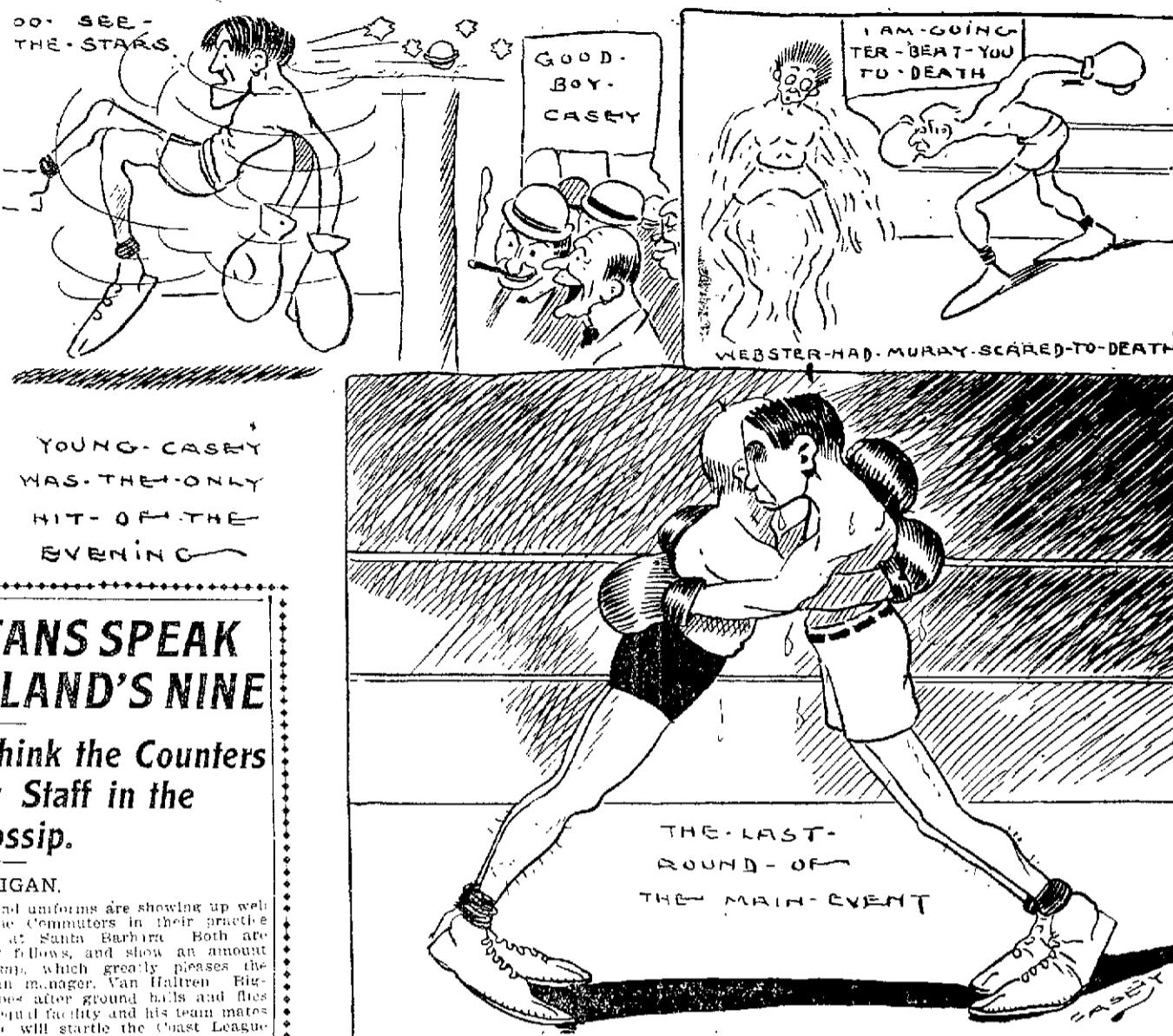
The writer can recall only one star pitcher in the major leagues for the last five years who was not a big fellow. Sniffell, in 1905, was the most sensational boy in either of the minor leagues. He slew such stars as "Wild Bill" Donovan, Bush Bill, Deacon "Cly" Young and "Rube" Waldeil. But the strata told on Sniffell and he has not been of any avail to a major league team since his one great year. And Sniffell was by no means a midget. He always weighed close to 170 pounds.

FISHER STUNG.

Some facile penman has been working the sporting fraternity of Fillmore street in San Francisco, with some queer paper and among other victims he found Mike Fisher a regular E. Z. Mark. He slipped the former baseball magnate \$25 worth of the "paper" paper.

Bassett and Bigblé, two newcomers in

SKETCHES OF LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS, AS SEEN BY CASEY.



VALLEJO WINS THE POLO MATCH

The Vallejo roller polo team defeated the San Francisco five in a well-played game at the Auditorium rink last night by a score of 2 to 0. This is the first decisive victory for the visiting team, although they have contested with the home team on several occasions, and on last Monday night were defeated by two goals, being unable to score in a very exciting game.

C. O'Donnell, the first rush on the Vallejo team, was responsible for both goals in the contest last night, playing a brilliant game during the entire three periods. Meany's shut-out record was broken, and Fry of the Auditorium team failed to score for the first time in the new series. The teams lined up as follows: Vallejo—A. Wood, C. O'Donnell, R. Ward, W. Dempsey, F. Moore; Auditorium—A. Smith, Fry, Langdon, Agee, and Meany.

Found or Lost.
J. A. Harmon of Lodi, Marin, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and indigestion, I will call it 'Harmon's New Life Pill.' Guaranteed safe for 25¢ at Osgood Bros., druggists, Sevenoak, Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets.

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Fighters Indulge in Too Much Clinching and Disappoint the Spectators--Comment.

By EDDIE SMITH.

Swings and uppercuts of all descriptions delighted the usual large and enthusiastic crowd that gathered at the West Oakland Club last night to witness the regular monthly boxing show given by the popular organization. The West Oakland Club's boxing nights have become gala events in West Oakland and it is a remarkable thing that on each gathering of the clans of fightdom the same faces are to be seen. The fans who witness the regular events seem to have their regular seats picked and each month they, with never ceasing enthusiasm find their way to their regular places, whether it rains or shines.

George Brown, fresh back from Los Angeles after being introduced as the pride of West Oakland and ready to meet any 145-pound man in the game was announced as referee and filled the position creditably. Chas. Kelly and Fred Goodsell acted as judges.

The battle in this round was chiefly fought with each man holding with one hand and punching away at the air with the other. In the third Lewis came up fast and kept a succession of right crosses shooting over for Brown's head. At times he had Brown in a bad way but the long clinches gave him ample opportunity to recover.

The fourth round both tired but Lewis, with victory spurting him on, went right after Brown and although he tried to clinch in an attempt to avoid punishment, Lewis soon had him going and the end of the round resembled a Cornish wrestling match.

Lewis was given the decision.

Brown a few years ago was a top notcher among the founders, but each fight now finds him with less class.

The show was opened by Kid Kosta and Joe Smith. Kosta showed up well in the first round and put Smith down for the count. In the second Smith developed a liking for the floor and at every opportunity went down.

Kosta became careless in the third round and Smith, with a wild swing almost put him down.

The last round was tame, but as Kosta was trying all the time he was awarded the decision.

Young Arama hails from Santa Cruz and was full of pepper.

From the tap of the gong he rushed Gauly around, slamming him about with wild swings and Gauly, who was fat and in poor condition, was anything but pleased with the treatment.

The end came when Arama put his opponent down with a right swing to the head. As Gauly was waiting the count on his knees Arama let fly a volley of swings, one lancing lightly on Gauly's head.

Experience has taught Gauly how to turn defeat into victory and he dropped back to the mat and closing his eyes, waited the decision which he knew had to be given to him.

Sailor Johnson, tall and lean, looked anything but a fighter when he entered the ring for his contest with Jack Harris.

Johnson in the opening of the round proved a punching bag and Harris looked a sure shot winner when over goes a swing from the hungry looking sailor and the curtain rang down.

Young Casey and George Leahy met in the fourth and swapped swings. Casey also liked the floor, but after being warned by Referee Brown he opened up and fought like a tramp. In the third his second must have given him a speed pill for he shot out of his corner and a series of fast rallies followed which delighted the crowd. In the fourth both mixed and it looked as if Casey had a good chance to win when just as the men were pulling away from a clinch Leahy shot his right over to the jaw, which act he repeated after Casey got to his feet and the fight was over.

A HOT CARD FOR THIS SHOW

The Reliance Club has announced that they will hold their monthly show next Wednesday night. The entertainment instead of consisting of one main event and several preliminaries, will be made up by four cracker-jack contests and two preliminaries. The cost for purses will be greater but the club wishes to give the fans something new. Kid Webster vs. Jackie Washington, Will Hagan vs. Eddie Miller, "Battling" George Martin vs. Joe Larick, and Danny Murphy vs. Eddie Webster will make up the main events. Frank Murphy vs. H. Long and Kid Kosta vs. J. Allen will make up the card.

A good, clean, wholesome medicine, pleasant and agreeable to take, no griping no pain. Lash's Blister.

The whole school rent the air with applause for the words of an O. H. S. alumnum. Oakland High has had some famous men on her roll, and none of them seem to be more proud than Dr. Fred T. Tannenhill.

The team as individuals was cheered and the rally was dismissed.

match running. He has an arm that can't stand excessive work and he knows it. Tannenhill's head rather than his arm has made him a great pitcher and wisely he moves slowly in the spring.

There is no doubt at all that "Jimmy" Barrett will make the outfit. He has watched him carefully since he reported and have found nothing that will give the least suspicion that anything is the matter with his leg. He will be a rare companion for a chick in center field and help the club immensely. Barrett should play as good a game as he ever did in the Ameri-

can League and that being so, the outfit of the club can not but be better than it was last season.—Jake Morris in Boston Herald.

No later than March 25th Secretary Danny Long of the Coast League will notify all the players of the Fresno and Seattle teams what is to become of them. The Coast League will hold the players of these two teams until end of the month, and will dispose of as many of them as they cannot find available for the Coast League.

Unless Old Jupiter Pluvius "cuts

out" some of his nonsense the grounds

in San Francisco may not be finished in time for the opening of the regular season. Several days of sunshine would help things along, but whether Gleason and his cohorts will be favored remains to be seen.

Walter McCrea is having hard luck in Salinas. The weather has been fierce and then some, and Walter has not had much chance to whip the

Champions into line.

Derrick will umpire the opening series in San Francisco, while Bill Perrine will do the honors at Los An-

ICICLE KILLS MOTERMAN

Mass of Ice Drops From High Cliff Onto Passing Trolley.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., March 22.—A huge icicle dropped from the cliff of the Niagara Gorge onto a trolley car of the Gorge Road recently as it was passing the whirlpool rapids. The motorman was killed. Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Nervy of Sioux City, Iowa, and Miss Nervy were struck on the back and badly bruised, and S. C. Lindsay and wife of Pittsburg were injured. The injured were taken to the Prospect House.

FEARS ARREST, DIES IN CHURCH

Boy Accused of Theft Strangles Himself Under a Desk.

CARTERVILLE, Ill., March 22.—To escape arrest for a theft that John Smith, 16, years old, committed while in the church at Festville, his body being found when the church was opened for morning service. The boy, accused of stealing and killing a calf hide, and ran away when an attempt was made to arrest him a week ago. The fugitive's body was found with his head resting under the foot rest of a heavy roll top desk. He evidently had raised the desk, but his head under the foot rest connecting the two sections, and thus allowed it to descend on his throat, strangling him.

Mr. Hipsley had a dog that he valued highly, but the animal was a terror to the neighbors on account of its having a quarrelsome disposition and an unfortunate tendency to use its teeth on human beings as well as on four-legged creatures of its own kind. It was frequently asked him to keep the dog muzzled, but he had refused. Finally they laid the case before the authorities, whereupon an officer called.

"The dog has been a good deal of complaint about your dog," Mr. Hipsley said, "and I am afraid I shall have to ask you to put a muzzle on him."

"But I don't believe in muzzling dogs!" he answered. "I think the best way to keep the poof is right where he says."

Let dogs delight to bark and bite.

For God hath made them so.

He rejoined the officer who, unfortunately, but he doesn't say we should delight to let them bark and bite."

Mr. Hipsley saw the point and yielded.

—*And Youth's Companion.*

GAME BIRDS SCARCE ALONG THE RAILROADS

"I don't believe the chicken and grouse shooting will be as good next season as it was last in the country directly tributary to Duluth," said T. J. Peters, of the Minnesota Fish and Game Commission. "I note that the railroad men have told me that the chickens always come out after a railroad track in winter in this part of the state so as to be where they can pick up gravel and scatter it over the tracks, and the birds take it if there are any birds in the country."

After the close of the hunting season the scattered rocks get together again and often two or three birds concentrate around one rock, taking turns on the birds. When they fly up from the track they generally create a sensation among those of the passengers who happen to be sportspersons. I haven't seen a single one since big dogs got out of the woods to shoot them. There are not many birds as formerly. The most I have seen together this winter were six or eight, and generally they are in two or three groups. The country is pretty well covered by hunters and their dogs, and the chickens suffered severely."

TOO MUCH ICE.

He evidently wasn't used to the ways of big hotels. He looked as though he might have been from some Kansas town and was in a large city for the first time. Somehow he had heard that the next morning men who have been absorbing intoxicants drink lots of ice water.

"Say," he said to C. P. Newton behind the desk at the Shirley hotel about 8 o'clock in the morning. "The other clerks last night told me to ask for things over that little telephone in my room when I wanted 'em."

"Yes," said Newton.

"Well, this morning, about a half an hour ago, I asked for a glass of ice-water. Some girl answered the telephone."

"Yes."

"Well, I don't like to be took for a heavy drinker. I wasn't drunk last night."

"What do you mean?"

"Just this—I didn't get no glass of ice-water. That girl sent me up a whole pitcher. It looked mighty much to me like she thought I was full of liquor last night and would need a whole pitcher. A glass would a-been enough." And as he turned and strode away he wore one of those "Guess I didn't call him down, eh?" looks,—Denver Post.

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WRECK TRAIN FOR ROBBERY

Engine and Five Cars Derailed but Thieves Fail to Make Appearance.

PITTSBURG, March 22.—The Chicago Limited from New York to Chicago on the Pennsylvania railroad, while going about 35 miles an hour, was wrecked at Stewart, 17 miles east of here, today. The engine and the first five cars were derailed.

The passengers were transferred to three car cars and brought to this city, where another train was made up and the continued their journey.

It is believed that according to the belief that the track had been tampered with, was found at the scene of the wreck.

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We have on 55th st. a new 5-room cottage, bath, high basement; lot 50x140. The lot is worth \$300, and no contractor will agree to duplicate it for less than \$3000. It has a large bright, sunroom, dining room, hall, good sized bedrooms, completely modern in every respect and for just \$3000. Terms as above.

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50x100-2nd st., right off San Pablo. Fine double front lot, with 100 feet of frontage; improvements in good order and paying 6% per cent; the lot is worth every cent we are asking for entire property.

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\$25,000

FINE CORNER, 100x150 FT.

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VERY VALUABLE IMPROVEMENTS
TAKE THIS QUICK
FOR SHORT TIME ONLY. (121)

A Cottage in East Oakland at a Snap

\$2900

A nice modern shingled cottage with western exposure, consisting of five large sunny rooms, situated on 5th ave., one of the finest locations in East Oakland; has fine cement walkers, grass and flower beds. This cottage is a bargain at this price. We are the exclusive agents.

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\$850

A good corner lot on 22nd st., not far from San Pablo ave., 25x100. This is cheap. Street work and sidewalk complete. We also have two extra options buy consisting of a fine corner of 100 feet frontage on 23rd ave. at \$15 per foot.

(126)

\$2500

A nice 5-room cottage in West Oakland, plenty of sun, and a good buy; lot 50x150.

\$2100

This is a cheap piece of property consisting of a 3-room cottage, windmill and barn; lot 50x100, on the north side of 24th st., west of Market, on car line. (127)

\$4500

An 8-room house on Linden st., near 12th st.; lot 50x12. Can easily be converted into flats, location is certainly fine—investigate.

(128)

\$4000

A new 5-room modern cottage, large rooms nicely arranged, gas and electricity, two mantles; lot 50x100, on 5th st., near Telegraph ave. (129)

\$5500

A fine, modern home, 7 rooms, large sunroom, two balconies, billiard-room, fine mantel, gas and electricity; choicest residence district; 5 minutes by fast car service to 12th and Broadway. It is a nobby Spanish design and a beauty.

(130)

\$7000

A Chinatown bargain, consisting of one store and 12 rooms; will pay big cent on the investment. (131)

\$7250

This is a nice Queen Anne 7-room house, has good stable and driveway and on the north side of 30th st., between Grove and Telegraph. This is very good. (132)

\$8000

This is a beautiful 9-room house, modern in every particular; situated in Bella Heights, not far from F. M. Smith's residence. The house is a home and was spared in its construction. Has been cottage, large billiard room, and will have to be appraised to tell you in this ad the nice things about this house. (133)

\$10,000

It will afford us pleasure to show this unique up-to-date residence, situated in a square, fine corner, 60 ft. from front and with 6 minutes' ride from 12th and Broadway. The living-room is 16x23, paneled, open ceiling, hardwood stone mantel, gas and electric lights; choice residence district; 5 minutes by fast car service to 12th and Broadway. It is a nobby Spanish design and a beauty.

(134)

\$21,000

Fine for an apartment house, beautiful corner in the center of Oakland, 100x100. Will be worth \$300 per ft. in sight of a year.

(135)

\$21,000

Fine cottages on a beautiful corner, centrally located, income \$225 per month. This is a good and worth investigating.

(136)

A. J. SNYDER'S
Rent List.801 Broadway, Oakland 224.
\$15-16-room, 3 rooms and bath, 5th near Grove st.

\$15-16-room, 6 rooms and bath, 18th near Brush st.

\$15-16-room, new, 6 rooms and bath, 20th street, near 28th.

\$50-Cottage, 6 rooms and bath, 18th near Market.

\$50-House, new, 7 room and bath, 21st st.

\$50-House, new, 7 room and bath, 22nd st.

\$50-House, new, 7 room and bath, 23rd st.

\$50-House, new, 7 room and bath, 24th st.

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\$50-House, new, 7 room and bath, 70th st.

CADETS PLAN THEIR DANCE

Military Hop to be Social Function of Season—Committees Appointed

Members of Company N First Regiment League of the Cross Guards will give a military hop the eve of April 12 at Central Hall 419 Twelfth street.

This affair was to have taken place January 25, but on account of the death of Archbishop Montgomery it was postponed until after the Lenten season.

The many friends of Company N have been eagerly awaiting the date of this affair to be set and the committee in charge promise to spare no expense in making this occasion one of the most successful social functions of the season.

Following is the committee: Jas B. Douglas chairman, P. H. Nichols, J. P. Gallagher, M. Herkenham, J. F. Keating, J. J. Provost, J. P. Flynn, and L. Phelan.

The officers in command are H. J. Leonard captain, T. J. V. Fitzsimmons, First Lieutenant, and J. J. Flynn Second Lieutenant.

TWO FIRMS INCORPORATE

One Will Deal in Briquettes Another Will Trade in Real Estate

A new firm, the Pacific Fuel Company, has been formed with the following members: Cleo C. Johnson will deal in briquettes; others, nothing to do but capture H. A. St. John, W. E. Bell, in direct sales, G. G. Johnson and John Lubin of Alameda, George A. Coker of John Huskiss and H. C. Hermanson of Oak and J. E. G. Belcher and June Anderson of Emeryville.

McElroy, Rude & Willis have also filed articles of incorporation. The company purports to consist of six persons in the business, and by a capital stock of \$100,000 which \$10,000 has been subscribed. The directors are C. N. Clark, C. G. Linke and W. A. Wallis.

BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

Gillett Attaches Signature to Measures Passed by Legislature

SACRAMENTO March 22.—Governor Gillett today signed the following bills:

By Rush—Providing for the extermination of the Hoophilus annulatus tick.

By McKee—Imposing a tax on vendors of drugs, etc.

By McKee—Regulating the practice of physicians.

By Wolf—Providing for the issuance of state bonds for the improvement of the San Francisco waterfront.

By McKee—Providing a rider to Sutter's Tax.

FOR SHIPPING FISH

By Cartwright—Providing a railroad car for shipping live fish to the various waters of the State.

By McCullough—Extending the act for the control of delinquent children.

By Bechtel—Appropriating money to pay claims of the national guard.

By Howton—Relating to the apprehension of water.

By Price—Conveying property at Home of the Feeble-minded.

By Welch—Providing for the issuance of state bonds to procure a tidal dam at San Francisco.

TO CONDEMN LAND

By Welch—Authorizing the State Board of Commissioners to condemn certain property north of Indian Pass as a California highway.

By Cunniff—Providing for the protection of game or patented lands.

By Willis—Relating to sellers of weights and measures.

By Willis—Relating to the industrial code for the adult hills.

By Willis—Relating to the power of the State Comptroller in Mortgaging the state.

DESERTED WIVES
GIVEN DECREES

Judge Waste this morning granted interlocutory decrees of divorce on the grounds of mutual desertion. Madeline L. Plunkett against Stewart A. Ann R. Robinson against George V. Julian R. Johnston against George Atkinson Sinclair against Rodney F. and final decree to Leopoldine Ulrich against Otto Ulrich.

THAT
was a quaint reply of the little girl who when asked "Why must we be kind to the poor?" replied: "Because we never know how soon we may become rich." This is an age of kaleidoscopic social changes all right. It's the natural outcome of democratic institutions in a land of opportunity. No social distinctions can bar any one from the opportunity to get good things to eat—Lehnhardt's for example. I have a date there as usual for my lunch feet.

Don't fail to see our immense display of Easter Eggs and novelties, 10c for a large Sugar Easter Egg with name on it.

Lehnhardt's
1159 BROADWAY.

UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR WITH OLGA NETHERSOLE TAKES A MINOR PART IN PLAYS

Elmer B Harris Preparing to Bring Out a New Production

Professor Elmer B Harris an attaché of the department of English literature at the University of California is traveling with Olga Nethersole's company while he is preparing a new play based on English life, to be brought out next year. He is filling a minor part in each play Miss Nethersole produces and is known as Elmer. He is doing this in order to gain adequate knowledge of the technical requirements of his play.

WELL KNOWN HERE

Professor Harris is well known in Cal, having been a member of the Independent Stage Society of Oakland directing productions given by that organization. He is finding a strenuous life with Miss Nethersole but at the same time a happy one.

Miss Nethersole's private car is his home while on the road. This car is one of the finest on the road it takes life its least comfortable and pleasant. It is fitted with all of the latest down to date equipment and furnishings in

**SILENT SUSPECT IS
TO HAVE HEARING**

The preliminary examination of Jim Butch, alias Walter McLean, on a charge of robbing the Albion Saloon at Fifteenth and Broadway was set by Acting Police Commissioner this morning, March 8. Neil Cate, a Justice of the peace, swore to the complaint. Butch, during his incarceration, has maintained a discreet silence and has in every way attempted to baffle the detectives who are working on the case.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued: Frank A. West, Oakland; and Harry Cola, 33 San Francisco; Peter J. Shinn and Agnes C. Fisher, both of San Francisco; Jerome M. Morris and Anna V. Ansaldi, 11th and Chestnut; and M. C. Gandy, 9th and Eliza E. Petri, 11th and Rielmond; Anne Lee Parrotta and C. C. Mulligan, 10th and Oakland; John D. Miller residing at Thirtieth and San Pablo avens, died last night. He was 3 years of age and was a carpenter by occupation.

WALLA WALLA, Wash March 22.—Fred Miller was hanged at the penitentiary today for the murder of Fred Clerk at Castle Rock last October.

Miller collapsed during the march to the gallows and was unconscious when the trap was sprung.

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ELMER HARRIS

FIGHT VICTIM PASSES AWAY

Waiter Who Was Injured in Scuffle Dies at County Infirmary.

John Hill a waiter who two months ago was seriously injured in a fight died last night at the County infirmary. He was injured in the left arm and head at the time of the scuffle of that moment. Complications set in and he died as a result. He was 41 years of age.

**"CINGALEE"; AMUSING,
SONGS MELODIOUS**

"Cingalee" the latest importation is an entire new creation in the field of musical comedy and it does not seem possible that even the most sensitive citizen could be bored by "The Cingalee" provided his mind is healthy. It has two gorgeous scenes as sensuously beautiful as the music or as the Cingalee maidens in their pretty and graceful dresses. Its story is interesting and well told. Its principal characters are striking and clearly defined. Its songs and choruses are hauntingly melodious. Its comedy is amusing. The company is unusually well furnished with talent. What more could be wished? The music of "The Cingalee" is much superior to the banjo. It is uniformly in harmony and has body as one says of a good Burgundy. It does not give the impression that the composer originally picked it out with one finger on the guitar. "The Cingalee" will be presented at the Macdonough Theater for four nights, the two firsts commencing Saturday, March 23. Tonight will be the last performance of "A Country Girl" by the Augustin Daly Musical Company.

**ROOM IS ENTERED
AND MONEY STOLEN**

Robert Nagora of 126 Webster street reported to the police this morning that his room had been entered and \$12 stolen last night.

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ROUGH-ON-RATS CAUSES DEATH

Longshoreman Found by Wife Wriggling in Pain—Passes Away Later.

A M von Krazmar a longshoreman, residing at 1056 Thirtieth street, committed suicide last night by swallowing "rough on rats." He was found by his wife Mrs Von Krazmar writhing on the floor in his bedroom at 12 o'clock. He was in a precarious condition. She summoned the patrol wagon and had him conveyed to the Receiving Hospital where he died an hour later in great pain.

According to the statement of the wife drink and domestic trouble was the cause of her husband's death. He was 41 years of age.

**SELECTS HIS
ROWING CREW**

Trainer Courtney of San Diego Has a Strong Four for Standard to Beat.

UNCONSCIOUS ON GALLows

Condemned Murdered Faints On Way to Scaffold—Trap Is Sprung However

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SATURDAY NIGHT'S Special

Trainer Courtney of San Diego Has a Strong Four for Standard to Beat.

SAN DIEGO March 22—Trainer Courtney of the San Diego Rowing and Swimming Club has selected the crew to go against Stanford at Naples March 30. It will be made up of Max Winter, stroke, Winter, Hegg, Hart, and a fourth. Captain of the team is probably will be chosen tomorrow though J. Kelly may be selected. Both will go up and there will be two substitute oarsmen ready.

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Toggery CLOAK & SUIT HOUSE

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Etons \$15.00

A whole store full of just such excellent values here. There's a big advantage in buying your Easter suit from THE TOGGERY

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It is at this price that The Toggery leadership shows most plumb. All the season's newest ideas in Etons Military Suits, Ponys Jackets and Jumper Suits are included. Every suit has that style and distinction you want in your Easter suit.

Sale of Traveling and Cravanned Coats

THE LOW PRICES WILL SURPRISE YOU

\$ 850 Coats	\$ 5.00	\$ 10.00
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\$ 1150 Coats	\$ 8.50	\$ 22.50
\$ 1350 Coats	\$ 10.00	\$ 17.50

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Wine may be fine,
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Up where a bargain grows.
For bargains we compare notes
And we'll go to Braley-Grotes;
That's where everybody goes.

Saturday from five till nine P. M., one Stein to a customer, 45 cents—and there will be a big crowd at Braley-Grotes' tomorrow night.

TOMORROW NIGHT'S SPECIAL positively will eclipse all past specials in attractiveness, both in style and quality. These steins which will be offered tomorrow night for the insignificant sum of 45 cents could not be duplicated again at the factory by the thousand for less than 72½ cents each. We took advantage of an unusual opportunity and bought them for about 65% on the dollar and bought an even thousand. They are steins that you could not buy for less than \$1.00 to \$1.25 and would be a good buy at that. The Stein measures 6 inches high and 4½ inches across the bottom, being proportionately smaller at the top. The inside is a pure clean white. The top edge is decorated with a gold band. The colors are of rich green and brown. In either the base and top will be a dark rich color, gradually growing lighter toward the center, almost to an ivory and an all-fire glazed. On each Stein are subjects similar to the illustration and others will be a violin, noted Indian chiefs, beautiful women's faces, etc. Each Stein would make a decoration worth while for the home.

Remember, one to a customer, 45 cents. Come early to get your pick.

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GIVEN DECRETES